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GERMANY'S REPLY EXPECTED TO BE DELIVERED TODAY

Ambassador Gerard Cables Secretary Lansing He Hopes to Receive Note, but Gives No Indication as to Contents.

President, Lansing and Col. House Hold Long Conference at the White House on the Situation.

Issue Must Be Cleared Up This Week if Relations With Germany Are to Continue, It Is Said

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, May 4.—Secretary Lansing announced today that a dispatch from Ambassador Gerard, dated yesterday, said the Ambassador expected to receive today the German reply to the American note demanding immediate abandonment of present practices of submarine warfare.

Secretary Lansing said he was without any information with respect to the conference Ambassador Gerard had with Emperor William. The dispatch was brief and contained no indication of the tenor of the German reply.

Chairman Stone of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee called on Secretary Lansing and briefly discussed the German and Mexican situations.

"Judging from the newspapers the tenor of the situation with Germany is very much less than it was," said Senator Stone.

President Wilson, Secretary Lansing and Col. H. M. House held a long conference last night at the White House. It is understood that the submarine situation was discussed.

The President and his advisers are keeping their minds open while they wait for the German note. The long delay very evidently has created a bad impression, however, and it was authoritatively stated that the issue would have to be cleared up this week if diplomatic relations with Germany were to continue.

The President is known to be unduly determined to adhere strictly to the position assumed by the United States in its demand that Germany immediately declare and effect an abandonment of its present methods of submarine warfare.

No proposal of any kind will be accepted by the American Government, it is said, unless it includes a declaration of intention to stop sinking peaceful ships at once.

Col. House returned to New York today.

BERLIN OFFICIALS ENFORCE SECRECY

Government Succeeds in Preventing Contents of Note From Becoming Known.

By KARL H. VON WIEGAND. A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and the New York World.

BERLIN, May 4, via Amsterdam and London.—Berlin and all Germany are in a state of intensified suspense since Ambassador Gerard's return, in the expectation that the Government's answer to America's note will follow. The Government continues to be a sphinx, so far as concerns the real nature and character of the note, which now requires little more than a signature.

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FAIR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW; WARMER

THE TEMPERATURES.
3 a. m. 51. 11 a. m. 61.
6 a. m. 53. 10 a. m. 60.
9 a. m. 57. noon 60.
Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair tonight and tomorrow; warmer tonight.
Humidity at 7 a. m. today, 74 per cent.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair tonight and tomorrow; warmer tonight and in southern portions tomorrow.

Missouri: Fair tonight and tomorrow; warmer tonight and in southern portions tomorrow.

Illinois: Fair tonight and tomorrow; warmer tonight and in southern portions tomorrow.

Stage of the river: 25.5 feet; a rise of 1.5 feet.

"TWO CHINAMEN—EQUIPPED" ARE FORWARDED TO NAMQUIPA

Quartermaster Fills Requisition for Cooks at U. S. Headquarters Camp in Mexico.

COLONIA DUBLIN, Chihuahua, May 4.—One of the queerest demands to the American expeditionary command has been received here from headquarters in Namiquipa. It is in the form of a requisition for "two Chinamen—fully equipped."

Behind the requisition is a story of rivalry among the various American camps along the line of communication. Officers at Dublin obtained the service of two Chinese cooks whose fame spread throughout Gen. Pershing's force. Officers at Namiquipa learned of the skill of the cooks and decided that the only way to obtain similar services was to make a demand upon the Quartermaster, who has been asked to supply the command with everything from locomotives to needles. The Chinese have been sent.

WHITE MEN SO SALTY THAT CANNIBALS WON'T EAT THEM

Illinois Doctor Says So—Much Saltier Matter Than Health Is Undermined.

CHICAGO, May 4.—Every modern human being is pickled in brine until his health is ruined and he is brought to an untimely grave through his salt-eating habit, according to Dr. Charles Woodward of the Illinois State Eclectic Medical Society, which is holding its convention here. So much salt is eaten by civilized white men that cannibals cannot eat him, the doctor asserts.

"The South Sea Islanders never eat a white man and the explanation given is that the white men are too salty."

MAN WHO LIEBED MEMORY OF WASHINGTON FOUND GUILTY

Tacoma Liable to Year in Jail—Said Patriot Blasphemed, and Was Inevitable Drinker.

TACOMA, Wash., May 4.—A verdict of guilty was returned last night by the Superior Court jury that for four days had been sitting on the trial of Paul H. Haffer of this city, accused of libelling the memory of George Washington. Attorneys say the case sets a precedent.

Dr. Woodward said: "Every man needs 30 grains of salt a day—he gets about 600."

Dr. Albert E. Joab, an attorney, caused Haffer's arrest after the latter had sent a letter to a newspaper referring to Washington as a "blasphemer," "slaveholder" and "invertebrate drinker."

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SCOTT AGREEMENT ACCEPTED IN MAIN BY THE PRESIDENT

Formal Ratification Expected When Carranza Passes on Obregon's Report.

ONE MORE CONFERENCE

No Time Limit Set for Withdrawal of American Troops From Mexico.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The American Government is ready to accept in its main points the agreement for the future pursuit of Villa and his bandits drawn up by Gen. Obregon, the Carranza Minister of War, and Gen. Scott, representing the United States. This was decided at a conference today between President Wilson and Secretary Baker.

A formal announcement of the position of the American Government will not be given until Gen. Carranza has had opportunity to pass on the report submitted to him by Gen. Obregon. As soon as that is done another conference between Gen. Obregon and Gen. Scott will be held on the border and the negotiations will be formally concluded. While no official information has been received from Gen. Carranza, officials here take it for granted that Gen. Obregon would have made no agreement which his chief would not accept.

The agreement provides for the cooperation of American troops and Carranza soldiers in clearing Northern Mexico of bandits. Mexican railroads will be utilized for the transportation of supplies for the American troops. While no time limit is set for the withdrawal of the American troops from Mexico, that will be done as soon as there are definite indications that American border towns are no longer in danger of raids.

Secretary Baker and President Wilson reviewed the agreement at length today and Secretary Baker sent a message to Gen. Scott on the future conduct of the negotiations.

Officials characterized the agreement as "satisfactory," but would not state whether every detail was acceptable. When the negotiations are ended President Wilson probably will make a statement.

Secretary Baker said the message of instruction to Gen. Scott would go today. He said the next conference between Scott and Obregon would probably be the last, indicating that it would be principally for formal ratification purposes. Gen. Scott will return to Washington when the conferences are over.

U. S. WITHDRAWAL IN 60 DAYS, MANY AT BORDER THINK

Generals Scott and Obregon Sent on Agreement Which They Have Reached.

By CLAIR KENAMORE, A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

EL PASO, Tex., May 4.—Through a day of waiting for messages to be coded and decoded many reports filled El Paso yesterday and a few hints came from the private cars where the representatives of the United States and Mexico rested, on either side of the Rio Grande.

It seemed assured that the United States representative had agreed to discuss the withdrawal of the troops, and on his part the Mexican representative had agreed to abandon his demand that withdrawal be made immediately.

This indicated that Major-General

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SHIP RAISED FROM BOTTOM AND SOLD FOR \$1,000,000

Former German Steamer Walkure Was Sunk by Them After French Seized Its Cargo Paid Cost and Salvage.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4.—The American steamer Republic, formerly the German steamer Walkure, which was recently raised by a San Francisco shipping firm from the bottom of Fajardo Harbor, Tahiti, where it has been for more than a year, after being seized by the French and sunk by shells from a German squadron, has been sold to Eastern interests for approximately \$1,000,000, it was announced here today. The name of purchaser was not made public.

The local firm paid the French Government \$20,000 for the Walkure while it was submerged. The cargo reimbursed the purchasers for both the cost of the ship and the expense of the salvage operations, it was said.

"THANKS, GEN. GORRINGE," LAST MESSAGE SENT FROM KUT

Kitchener, in House of Lords, Reads Dispatch to Relief Expedition Before Surrender.

LONDON, May 4.—In the House of Lords today Field Marshal Earl Kitchener, the Secretary of War, warmly eulogized Gen. Townshend and the defenders of Kut-el-Amara, and read Gen. Townshend's last dispatch, which is as follows:

"We are pleased to know that we have done our duty and recognize that our situation is one of the fortunes of war. We thank you, Gen. Goringe (commander of the British relief army), and all ranks of the Tigris force for the great efforts you have made to save us."

Imminent starvation compelled the surrender of Kut-el-Amara, added Lord Kitchener, and adverse elements alone denied success to the relief force.

MUNICIPAL BRIDGE USED FOR FIRST TIME BY RAILROAD CAR

Load of Rock for Construction Work Switched to Western Approach

The first railroad car to run on the Municipal Bridge went over a portion of the approach this morning. It was a freight car loaded with rock for use in the construction work. There was no ceremony, the car being shunted onto the western approach near Eighth street by a switch engine, after a temporary connection had been made with the Terminal Railway tracks there.

Clinton F. Fisk, engineer in charge of the construction work, said that now on freight cars would be used on the approach to carry materials back and forth.

TEN ARMY MOTOR AMBULANCES CARRY 27 SOLDIERS 300 MILES

Experimental Trip Made With New Vehicle's Equipment, a Success

COLUMBUS, N. M., May 4.—A successful experimental trip with the new army motor field ambulances was completed today when 10 machines arrived here from San Antonio, 300 miles south of the border, with 27 sick and injured soldiers.

Among them was a Mexican youth who had been wounded accidentally. None of the Americans suffered their injuries in engagements with Mexican troops.

MOLLMAN ACTUALLY WANTS CITY EMPLOYEES TO WORK 8 HOURS

Issues Order to Departments to Eliminate "Bankers' Hours" Among East St. Louis Officials.

Mayor Mollman, an author of New York, called a meeting of all the department heads of the city and told them to get to work at 8 o'clock in the morning, and to stay until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, with an hour, and no more, for lunch.

The Mayor said there had been some comment caused by the "bankers' hours" kept by the members of some of the departments. "I don't expect any of them to work as long as I do, but I think they should put in eight hours a day," Mayor Mollman said.

NEW YORK PLAYWRIGHT AND AN AUTHOR KILLED IN AUTOMOBILE

Former Stage Manager of Little Theater Badly Hurt by Overturning of Machine at Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 4.—Malcolm W. Strong, playwright, and Clinton H. Stagg, an author of New York, were killed last night when an automobile driven by Stagg burst a tire and overturned on a county road near here.

George Foster Platt, formerly stage manager for Winthrop Ames, owner of the New Theater and the Little Theater, another passenger in the machine, was seriously injured.

First reports said Platt also was dead, but at a local hospital early today it was said he had a slight chance of recovering.

ARCHBISHOP OF LYONS DIES

Was 64 Years Old, and Was Created Cardinal in 1914.

PARIS, May 4.—Hector Irenaeus Sevin, Cardinal Archbishop of Lyons, died today. He was 64 years old and was created Cardinal in May, 1914.

Credit Bill Change Falls.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—By a vote of 72 to 24, the Senate today tabled Senator Cummins' amendment to the rural credit bill to eliminate the section exempting farm loan banks and their mortgages from taxation. Republican Senators attacked the constitutionality of such exemptions and argued it discriminated against national banks.

STATE PATIENTS' CHAIRS FIND WAY TO GOV. MAJOR

Two Others Intended for Mt Vernon Sanatorium Go to Board Members.

DEMAND FOR AN INQUIRY

Patients Complain of Treatment, Alleged Laws Have Been Disregarded.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

MOUNT VERNON, Mo., May 4.—The shipment yesterday of two handsomely upholstered chairs belonging to the Missouri State Sanatorium for Incipient Pulmonary Tuberculosis here to two members of the Board of Managers of the institution revived rumors of a threatened official investigation of the management of the sanatorium.

Two other chairs, boxed and addressed to two other members of the Board of Managers, were removed from the Frisco freight depot after a Post-Dispatch reporter began an investigation of charges made by former patients and residents of Mount Vernon, and were carted back to the sanatorium. Two similar chairs were sent to Gov. Major several months ago.

The board members to whom chairs were sent by freight yesterday are Dr. J. L. Eaton of Bismarck, president of the board, and Dr. J. H. Buford of Elkhart. The others were addressed to S. H. Minor of Aurora and Dr. C. T. Dusenbury of Monett.

Two months ago Harry Nicolet, formerly of 829 Magnolia avenue, St. Louis, sent to Gov. Major a long letter complaining of the management of the institution in which he was a patient for eight months last year. Gov. Major sent the letter to the board of which Nicolet complained. Nicolet a month ago sent to Miss Mary E. Perry of St. Louis, a member of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, a copy of his letter to the Governor with a request that she conduct an investigation of the institution.

Age Children Were Whipped.

A Post-Dispatch reporter began an investigation based on the charges in Nicolet's letter to the Governor, and has been told by a former superintendent, by former patients and by responsible residents of Mt. Vernon that children patients had been whipped, that patients generally were dissatisfied with the treatment they received at the institution, and that the State laws governing the money and property of the sanatorium had been disregarded.

The latest development in the sanatorium matters is the shipments of the chairs to the members of the Board of Managers. The Missouri Legislature at its 1915 session passed an act reading as follows:

"The Panama-Pacific Exposition commissioners representing the State of Missouri at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Francisco, Cal., in 1915, shall file with the Secretary of State immediately after the passage of this act, a complete inventory of the furniture, rugs, window shades and draperies, linen and bedding, typewriters and office equipment, electric light fixtures, and other personal property of the State and for the equipment of the Missouri Building at the said exposition. At the close of the said exposition all furniture and equipment of the State enumerated shall be crated and shipped free of all expense to the Missouri State Sanatorium, Mt. Vernon, Mo., for the use and benefit of the patients of said institution."

The chairs which were shipped to the Governor and two members of the board, and the chairs which were hurriedly called from the freight depot yesterday, were taken from the Missouri building at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Hodge boxes were made at the Sanatorium Monday for the chairs, which were placed in the boxes Tuesday. Wednesday morning they were taken to the freight depot in a sanatorium truck.

Those for Dr. Eaton and Dr. Buford reached the depot in time for a morning freight train, but those for Minor and Dr. Dusenbury did not reach the depot until after the train had departed. They were placed in the depot to wait for Thursday morning freight train.

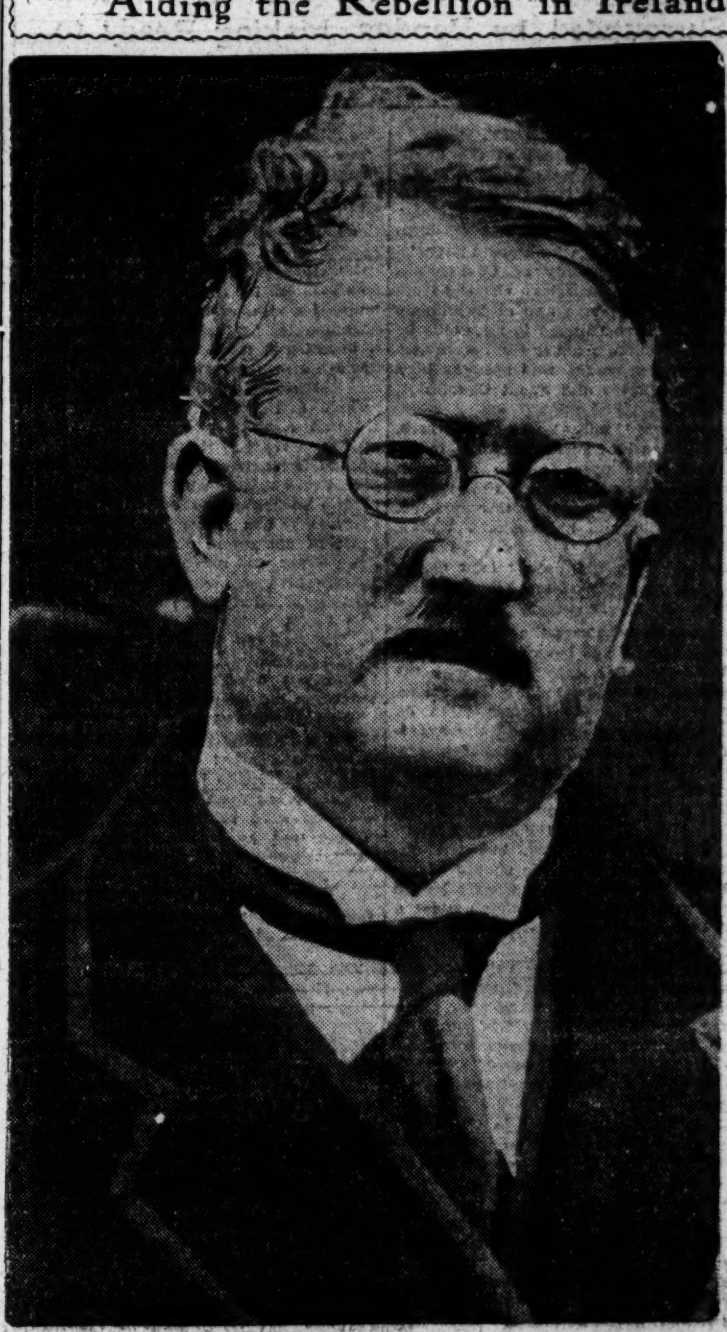
In the meantime the Post-Dispatch reporter called on Dr. English, and while he was closeted with the superintendent the two chairs were returned to the sanatorium. The freight bills for boxes shipped to the members of the board show that each weighed 300 pounds and contained an upholstered chair. The investigation regarding this furniture revealed that before the exposition closed President J. H. Eaton of the board and H. H. Hohenschild, president of the Night and Day club of St. Louis and Architect for the board of managers, made a trip to San Francisco for the announced purpose of superintending the packing of the furniture in the Missouri Building for shipment to Mount Vernon.

\$500 Check for Trip.

For the expenses of this trip Dr. C. C. English, superintendent of the sanatorium, issued a check for \$500 from the "Cash purchase fund" of the sanatorium. This is a fund set aside each month to meet expenses that must be paid immediately, such as return transportation for patients to their homes. Dr. English was questioned by the reporter about his right under the law to issue the check. He said that he acted under

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"FIRST IN EVERYTHING"

**"Silly and Ignorant
Brave, Honorable," Says
Shaw of Irish Revolt**

NEW YORK, May 4.—In response to a cable inquiry from the New York World as to his opinion of the Irish uprising, George Bernard Shaw, the distinguished Irish playwright, replied by cable as follows:

"Silly, ignorant, wrong-headed—but honorable, brave and republican."

BERNARD SHAW.

would be tried with the utmost expedition.

The Prime Minister, in making note of Birrell's statement said that without prejudging the decision which might ultimately be taken, he was sure the House had heard Birrell not without emotion and sympathy, and he assured Birrell that he possessed in a peculiar degree the affection of all his colleagues.

Redmond said that the whole business in Ireland had been to him a misery and a heartbreak. He paid warm tribute to Birrell. He felt that he himself had incurred some of the blame which Birrell had laid at his own door.

The Nationalist leader concurred in the view that the danger of an outbreak was not a real one, and perhaps what he had said in conversation might have influenced Birrell.

Pleads for Revolutionists.

While approving the vigorous quelling of the rebellion, Mr. Redmond begged the Government not to show undue harshness to "the great mass of unfortunate dupes involved."

Patrick H. Pearse, the "provisional President of Ireland," one of the leaders executed, was barrister, schoolmaster, writer and orator. He delivered the funeral oration at the grave of O'Donovan Rossa, the Irish patriot. He was of English descent.

Thomas J. Clark, who had been sentenced to penal servitude for association with dynamite outrages in England in the eighties, was prominent in all celebrations of the Fenian anniversaries. He kept a tobacco and newspaper shop in Dublin.

Thomas McDonagh was master-at-arms of the National University of Ireland and tutor in English literature at University College. He was the poet of the rebellion. One of his poems, which was a great favorite among the Sinn Féiners, began:

"Let Erin remember the heroes' brave,"

Three of the rebels sentenced to three years' penal servitude are Edmund Duggan, Pierce Beazley and Joseph Maginnes.

It is officially announced, via a dispatch to the Evening News from Dublin, that the number of deaths in the hospitals alone resulting from the recent revolt is 153.

LEADERS OF IRISH REVOLT RAPIDLY TRIED IN DUBLIN

**Minor Offenders Are Dealt With
by Courtmartial in Their
Districts.**

DUBLIN, May 4.—The roundup of rebels still at large is going on rapidly and systematically. The Sinn Féin crusade has continued so openly that most of its adherents are known to the police. House-to-house search is being made for those not accounted for, and notices signed by Major-General Sir John Maxwell are posted everywhere warning any who harbor rebels that they will be liable to arrest and punishment.

How serious the situation became at the height of the revolution here may be judged from the fact that butter sold at \$3 a pound, flour at \$1 a pound and potatoes at 40 cents.

Since the beginning of the disturbance the city virtually has been cut off from news of the outside world. Nearly all supplies of print paper were used by the rebels for barricades. The premises of the Freeman's Journal and the Evening Telegraph were burned, while the offices of the Daily Express and the Evening Mail were badly damaged.

Three Leaders Executed.

Three of the ring leaders, signatories of the proclamation of the short-lived Irish republic, paid the supreme sacrifice yesterday morning. They were Patrick H. Pearse, the scholarly President of the Provisional Government, Thomas Mac Donagh and Thomas J. Clark.

The death sentences were pronounced by the field general courtmartial, and were duly confirmed by the highest authorities. Of the other signatories, James Connolly, Commandant-General of the Irish Republican party, is lying in prison wounded; Sean MacDonnagh, Eamon Ceannt and Joseph Plunkett are somewhere in Ireland, whether free or captured is not publicly known. The other ring leaders in custody in Ireland are now being tried with great rapidity by the central courtmartial, while local courtmartial are dealing with minor rebels in various districts.

The Associated Press correspondent saw a batch of the prisoners leaving one of the courts after being sentenced. Some of them spoke to the members of their escort as they marched away, and unless their chancy appearance was forced, they evidently had escaped with more lenient punishment than they had expected.

The general public was not aware of the execution of the ring leaders until late in the evening.

John's Death Missing.

Everybody is asking what has become of John McNeill, the local organizer of the Sinn Féiners, who appears to have disappeared from Dublin with the firing of the first shot. Another man in whose fate great interest is manifested in The Body, it is reported that his body was found among the debris of the general postoffice.

The South and West of Ireland are at present the only places where disturbances are rife and these disturbances are being sharply suppressed. In several parts of Ireland the Sinn Féin organizations did not take heart in the outbreak, as they possess huge quantities of arms and ammunition they are being closely watched. Orders were issued today demanding that they immediately surrender all their arms.

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AMERICANS AND CARRANZA MEN TRAPPED BY VILLISTAS, SAVED BY DODD'S TROOPERS

**Party Held Prisoners in Adobe at Telolichic,
Surrounded by Bandits, Making Ready to
Fire Place When U. S. Soldiers Arrived.**

By B. C. UTECHT.
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IN THE FIELD WITH GEN. PERSHING, NAMIQUITA, April 30 by motor truck, Columbia, N. M., May 4.—Two troops of Col. George M. Dodd's Seventh Cavalry saved a body of Carranzista soldiers and two American citizens from massacre a few days ago at Telolichic, when they were trapped in an adobe by 100 Villista bandits under Gen. Arraviso. Report of the rescue was brought here today by officers and Scout Charles E. Tracey.

Telolichic is 15 miles north of Guerrero. The Villistas had surrounded the building and were preparing to attack it at first light. At least a dozen Carranzistas, Henry Acklin and his nephew, Walter Mabins, had been trapped. To have ventured out would have meant death. Acklin is manager of the Yoculva Mining Co.

A Mexican who saw the Villistas surrounding the place led on his horse and rode 10 miles, catching up with the American troops guided by Tracey. A few words of excited explanation on the part of the Mexican and the Americans hurried forward, realizing any minute might see the annihilation of the beleaguered party.

When the Americans came within sight of the Villistas the latter at first did not see the troops, but the entrapped men gave frantic shouts of joy and Mabins, a tall, shaggy-haired youth, ran from the building amidst a hail of bullets from the American column, yelling as he ran.

The Villistas fired one volley at the American troops, then fled, making better time than the attacking troops because the Mexican bandits' animals were fresh. The Americans continued their chase for 10 miles, but if any Villistas were killed their bodies were carried away.

There were only 65 men in the American column. The volley turned loose at them when the chase began was fired at a distance of only 50 yards, but no Americans were hit.

Carranzistas Hug Soldiers.

The Carranzista soldiers rejoiced no less than the United States citizens at their rescue. They insisted on embracing the American soldiers time and again and weeping on their shoulders, saying they were "compadres" for life.

When Col. Dodd's column reached Yoculva it was learned that but shortly before their entrance Enrique Seybert, an American, had been released by Villistas upon the payment of \$2,000 ransom. He had been held for two weeks and threatened with death unless the ransom was paid. He was freed four days before Dodd came into town.

Dodd and his men are resting and rationing, after a gruelling campaign of almost two months, during which they kept to the trail day and night.

Yesterday, in company with officers of Gen. Pershing's staff, we visited this force which has seen more actual fighting and hard campaigning than any command in the expedition. From a distance the troops appear very American and very military, but there is a revelation on close view. The force lost many horses and some of the men rode into Providencia on mules, burros and little Mexican ponies. But the soldiers were not tattered and torn. They maintained the reputation of the American soldier for looking neat, despite loss of clothing.

Clothing in Patches.

The trousers and coats of some were patched with leather cut from their leggings or with cowhide bought at some village. Others, whose shoes had worn out, wore sandals. Col. Dodd's trousers were also patched with leather, and he was proud of the job. Capt. Facha shed the lining of a boot for patchwork and wore two unmade boots, one having been made by a Mexican and the other by himself.

Tomasch is surrounded by mountains, the town lying in a cup which has but one street. As the Americans appeared they saw Villistas riding out. The bandits were the first to open fire, doing so at long range. Ten fire was poured into the Americans from the flanks, the enemy having reached points of vantage in remarkably short time.

The Villistas fire was more accurate than in any previous fight, and they seemed to have had the range perfectly. Bullets splattered up dust at the feet of the Americans, officers say it is spoli.

YOUTH ADMITS STEALING CIGARS

Son of Tobaccoist Arrested on Complaint of Wholesale.

Fowler S. Loftin Jr., 19 years old, whose father is a tobaccoist at 8612 South Broadway, was arrested at Twelfth and Pine streets last evening on complaint of J. H. Fling, sales manager of the Parker-Gordon Cigar Co., 168 North Eighth street.

Fling told the police he had lost more than \$10 worth of cigars recently on fake orders. When he called yesterday with an order for a box of cigars purporting to come from Loftin Jr., Fling wrapped an empty box, gave it to the boy and trailed him to Twelfth and Pine, where Loftin Jr. was waiting. The prisoner admitted having ordered cigars in his father's name several times. He said he sold them.

DAY IN CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, May 4.

SENATE.

Resumed debate on rural credits bill. Conference continued deliberation on army reorganization bill.

HOUSE.

Considered unanimous consent business.

marvelous that no more than two Americans were killed and three wounded. The Captain of I troop had been in 23 battles, most of them in the Philippines, and he declares that this was the hottest of all and the firing of the enemy better.

Col. Dodd risked his life to reach a small knoll in the town which commanded a view of the fighting. He was accompanied by Scout Tracey, who wore a bright red flannel shirt which many declare attracted attention and fire.

Rushed Through Bullets.

Dodd and Tracey rushed 800 yards through a shower of bullets for the crest and reached it safely.

Dodd is small of stature and 64 years old, but he has withstood the rigors of the campaign as only the hardest can and he has shown more energy than most of his young officers.

A private in the firing line just outside of town. Another private was shot later, but lived several hours. The bullet which killed him was fired at Tracey, ten feet away. His last words addressed to Scout Tracey were: "Well, old man, how many of these Mexicans did you get?"

The two were carried back to Minaca and given a military burial, the Carranzista commandant of the town having granted permission for such service.

H troop led the first charge, then the Villistas were reinforced. The second charge was by L troop in a spirited pursuit down an arroyo after fleeing Villistas. The Mexicans scattered in all directions. There were at least 250 Villistas, outnumbering the Americans by a hundred.

Used a Machine Gun.

The Mexicans also used a machine gun, first from one hill, then from another, transporting it in a remarkably short time from one point to the other, but its execution was not noticeable.

The fight raged from 4:30 until after dark, and the Americans were unable to pursue the Villistas any great distance because of the snipers. It was necessary to remain to clean the men from the mountains and the job was done.

A captain said that he saw, or thought he saw, a crow flying along the top of a row of corn, but it acted peculiarly. He rode to a rise and then saw that the "crow" was a sniper who was hurrying off. He had mistaken the Mexican for a crow.

He signaled for two men, one of whom was a Sergeant, and they gave chase, firing as they pursued. The Villista was at last hit and he fell. When the Americans came up the Villista held up a white flag and asked for surrender. Then, as the Americans were taken off guard, he rolled over and fired full at the Captain, barely missing him.

"The other two soldiers were eager to kill the Mexican on the spot because of his betrayal and, although the American officer was extremely angry, he refused permission. While arguing the fire was directed upon them and they left the wounded Villista lying there, although they first took his arms.

A Sergeant was severely wounded in the right arm as he was lying on the ground firing at the snipers.

Snipers in Cave.

A Sergeant undertook a daring feat to rid a cave of snipers. The snipers had been firing from this cave for half an hour and the American fire seemed futile. He then climbed and crept to the place alone. He entered and found it empty, but as he was returning accompanied by a Lieutenant, he saw a sniper and killed him before the latter could aim.

Scout Tracey also killed a sniper in a cave at 500 yards. Snipers in this cave had been directing a well-aimed fire. Suddenly the Americans were ordered to cease firing and Tracey tried his hand. He could see only a head in the cave. After he fired, some soldiers yelled: "You've got him." "He's a dead one."

It proved the worst "sniping" battle the Americans have fought in Mexico. It was necessary to go into the hills and mountains after them in a man-to-man and hand-to-hand fight, a sort of thing very distasteful to the Mexicans. But a delight to the American soldiers. A Captain in his chase up the arroyo after a band of 40 Villistas killed several, wounded about a dozen and retained loot that they had taken. An issue of clothing for American soldiers at Columbus was found among the spoils.

BROADWAY BANK PAYING OFF

All Creditors Receiving 66.2-3 Per Cent on First Installment.

The first dividend on the liquidation of the assets of the Broadway Bank, which was taken over by the State Bank Commissioner Nov. 8 last, was paid to depositors today. The payment was 66.2-3 per cent of creditors. The total fund available for distribution at this time is \$501,885. The disbursement will be made by Deputy State Bank Commissioner E. H. Benoit, at 1701 South Broadway.

FOURTH REPRIEVE FOR SCOTT

Gov. Dunne's Demands Again Ignored by Sheriff White.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 4.—Sheriff White of Murphysboro today wrote to Gov. Dunne, refusing to say how many prisoners he would invite to the hanging of Elston Scott, negro murderer, set for May 12. The Governor is in Chicago today, but on his return will grant a new reprieve to Scott to July 14.

This will be the fourth reprieve granted because White will not promise a private execution.

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WESTINGHOUSE HEAD TO CONFER WITH STRIKERS

**Tells Men He Will Take Up
Situation Tomorrow—15,000
Are Idle.**

PITTSBURGH, May 4.—E. M. Herr, president of the Westinghouse Electric, whose plants are closed because of a strike of 15,000 workers who struck for an eight-hour day, told a committee of strikers today that he would be unable to discuss a settlement with them until tomorrow. Federal and State officials are endeavoring to bring the company and the men together.

While almost a thousand State troops were on duty in the Turtle Creek Valley and conditions about the closed plant were quiet, unrest manifested in other parts of Allegheny County. Seven hundred Pressed Steel Car Co. employees joined the 2000 already out. At the McKinney Manufacturing Co. plant girl strikers attacked those who refused to strike and ducked one of them in a horse trough.

At McKees Rocks about 200 workers returned to their places in the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad shops. The plant of the Aluminum Co. of America at New Kensington was shut down today by a strike of about 2100 workers.

Street Car Strike in Cleveland Is Averted.

CLEVELAND, O., May 4.—Motor-men and conductors of the Cleveland Railway Co. voted today, 1123 to 496, to accept the company's compromise wage offer, thus averting a strike. The terms call for a wage increase of 2 cents an hour, effective at once, with an additional 1 cent increase May 1, 1917, and a minimum day of five hours, effective at once. The first-year men have been getting 29 cents an hour and the others 32 cents.

The company estimates the advance will cost \$52,000 in two years, which is the life of the agreement.

Federal Commissioner Offers Services in Telegraphers' Dispute.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Characterizing as "critical and tense" the controversy between the New York Central and Nickel Plate Railroads and their 5000 telegraphers and signal men who threaten a strike in their movement for better wages, a shorter working day and union recognition, G. W. W. Hanger, assistant Postmaster General, offered his services as mediator.

Hanger said he took this action in an endeavor to avert the sending out of a call for a strike he had been informed would go forth unless the railroads showed a disposition to make concessions.

"I am hopeful," he said, "although there is no information from either side as a basis for this hope."

300 Youngstown Steel Workers Go Out on Strike.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., May 4.—A strike of machinists, stationary engineers and others occurred at the plant of the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Co. today. The men say 200 are out on strike. Company officials say only a few have quit and that the plant is running capacity in all departments.

T. H. Flynn, State organizer, said today the men struck because of the refusal of the company to heed demands for the reinstatement of five men who were discharged for union activities. He says the men will not go back until they get an eight-hour day. The company denies discharging any union men for reasons enumerated.

Conferences between striking machinists and members of other trades with employers looking toward peace were in progress at several plants today.

Invest \$1 a Week in a Diamond.

Lotus Bros. & Co., 24 floor, 303 N. 9th st.

PROPERTY OWNERS ALONG THE DES PERES WANT PROTECTION

About Two Hundred Set to Prevent
Dumping Along Banks.

Two hundred property owners along the River Des Peres today in thing very distasteful to the Mexicans. But a delight to the American soldiers. A Captain in his chase up the arroyo after a band of 40 Villistas killed several, wounded about a dozen and retained loot that they had taken. An issue of clothing for American soldiers at Columbus was found among the spoils.

The petitioners allege that such dumping will impede the carrying off of flood material, and thus deprecate the value of property along the river, as well as be a menace. It is also alleged that the embankment being built along the east side may slide into the channel, and cause the water to overflow the adjacent land.

LOSES SUIT AGAINST POLICEMAN

Man Wounded Accidentally Asked for \$5000 Damages.

A jury in Judge Withrow's court today returned a verdict in favor of Jacob Kling, a Police Sergeant, who accidentally shot and wounded Clarence Hoffman July 18, 1914, at Broadway and Gratiot street, while pursuing a participant in a street fight. Hoffman asked \$5000 damages.

Hoffman testified he was confined to his bed for several weeks as a result and spent \$2 for medical services. Kling testified he shot at the legs of the man he was pursuing and that Hoffman's wound had been slightly grazed. The Court, in instructing the jury, said that policemen should be allowed reasonable means of effecting an arrest.

Last year the Post-Dispatch printed 4,724 Male Help Wanted Ads, just 11,000 more than its nearest competitor.

RECORD BOOKS OF EDGEMONT SCHOOL FUND LOST IN FIRE

**Documents Needed to Show Le
Page's Expenditures Burned
in County Treasurer's Home.**

A Post-Dispatch reporter learned today that the record book of School District No. 18, at Edgemoat, was burned in a fire in the home of Fred Warning, Treasurer of St. Clair County, and one of the directors of the school district. This book was needed by the trustees of the Outlying School District to verify Stephen Le Page's statement that he had expended \$447 in that district on warrants.

Le Page is a State Representative in the Illinois Legislature from East St. Louis, and is retiring as treasurer of the Outlying School District of East St. Louis, a post he held 12 years. He has admitted using \$77,000 of school funds for private purposes, and the auditors last week found an additional shortage of \$447, making it appear that the total deficit in Le Page's books is \$447.

Trustees are having a difficult time to find Le Page's records. After Le Page had told his bondsmen a few weeks ago that he was indebted to the school fund for \$37,000, he told the trustees that all of his records except his cash book and the records for the last two years were burned in a fire which destroyed his home. The cash book showed Le Page's receipts from the City Treasurer for the 12 years he has been in office. The destruction of the record of District 18, at the Warning home, was not known to the trustees at that time.

Formal Demand for Settlement.

Demand for a complete settlement was made upon Le Page last night by his successor, August Eggman, who presented this written statement:

"You are hereby notified that my bond as Treasurer in and for Township 2, North Range West, in St. Clair County, has been approved by the Board of Trustees and by the County Superintendent of Schools; and I hereby make demand that you turn and pay over to me as such Treasurer all moneys, bonds, mortgages, notes and securities, and all books, papers and property of every description belonging to said township as provided by law."

Now that formal demand for settlement has been made upon Le Page, the law requires that the school trustees take legal action, within 10 days, to collect the money. Failure to take such step would relieve Le Page's bondsmen of liability.

Eggman said Le Page, upon receipt of the demand, told him that he would try to make a settlement in three or four days, as his bondsmen have been busy on plans to try to raise the money for him. It is known that the bondsmen are trying to get a loan on real estate which Le Page bought with the school funds, and which Le Page estimates as worth \$105,000.

School District 18, in 1914, became part of the city district. It formerly had been the Outlying District. The directors, County Treasurer Warning, Dr. E. H. Lane and Eugene Deletine, have retained their office, although there is no school in that portion of District 18 remaining in the Outlying District.

Deletine made the announcement that the record book of District 18 had been burned in Warning's home. He thought it contained the records of the district as far back as 1852. Treasurer Warning could not be reached for a statement as to the time of the fire in his home.

"More Melody" Carries You to Honolulu.

Now on sale at Music Counters.

State Patients' Chairs Find Way to Gov. Major

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Political activity became evident soon after the reporter's investigation of the chairs began. Gov. Major, who had not objected to the shipment of chairs to himself so far as appears in Mount Vernon, telephoned John L. McNatt of Aurora, chairman of the Missouri commission to the exhibition, and McNatt telephoned to Democrats in Mount Vernon. Immediately afterward there was scurrying about in an effort to induce the reporter to withhold publication of any facts about the sanatorium "for a few days."

It was stated by these persons that the Governor would arrive in Mount Vernon before the end of the week and personally make an investigation of conditions at the sanatorium. A telegram to the Post-Dispatch correspondent from Jefferson City, however, stated that the Governor had no intention of coming to Mount Vernon. Dr. English departed for Aurora in his automobile soon after the reporter had called on him and discussed the conditions at the sanatorium. Eaton is the only member of the board residing in Aurora.

The charge of cruelty to children patients in the sanatorium was made by Dr. Bonard Hughes of Keytesville, superintendent of the sanatorium for two years prior to May 1, 1915, when he resigned. Dr. Hughes said that at a time late in his official connection with the institution, and when Supt. English was the head physician there, he returned from a trip out of Mount Vernon and found that Dr. English had whipped an 8-year-old boy, Tommy Cannady, whose home was on Fallon street in St. Louis.

"The boy had committed a very serious offense," said Dr. Hughes. "Dr. English told me that he had whipped the boy. We had had a great deal of trouble with this youngster and I decided that he should not remain in the sanatorium."

Great Writs on Body.

"I told Dr. English to get him ready and we would ship him back to St. Louis," Dr. English told me the boy was pretty badly shamed, and that we had better examine him. I looked at him and found that his back and hips contained great welts. Dr. Hughes insisted that we hold the boy until he recovered from his wounds, saying that somebody might examine him if he went out in the condition. He said that it might cause trouble. At his suggestion we kept the boy two weeks longer than I had intended to keep him and then sent him home.

"He was suffering from tuberculosis at the time and from his condition then I think he probably died, though I have heard nothing from him."

An 11-year-old boy, formerly a patient in the sanatorium, told that in the three years he was there Dr. English whipped him three times on the naked skin with a whip the boy called a "piece of rubber hose." One of the whippings, he said, was because he and several other boy patients had gone swimming in a creek near the sanatorium in violation of the rules, and another time because he went off the grounds without permission. He said that children generally were whipped for any violation of the rules. Dr. English's explanation of the whippings differed from that of Dr. Hughes and the boy.

"In the first place," said Dr. English, "there has not been a case of corporal punishment at the sanatorium since I have been Superintendent that I ever have heard of."

"As to the Cannady boy, there was not a mark on his body from the whipping. The piece of rubber hose I used when I was a physician was a small piece of soft rubber. The whippings I administered were at the direction of Dr. Hughes, who was Superintendent. It was his custom to bring the children to me to punish them. Since I have been Superintendent I have adopted a different method. Instead of whipping them I withdraw from them privileges, such as attending the motion picture shows we have, or by requiring them to do some light work, such as folding napkins."

"The reason the Cannady boy was not sent home immediately after his whipping was that I interested in the hope that his conduct would improve and we could keep him. About two weeks after the whipping he committed another very serious offense and Dr. Hughes sent him home."

Opposed Method of Treatment.

The complaint contained in Nicolet's letter to the Governor was general in its character and dealt principally with the conditions in the institution as seen by a patient. Nicolet reached the sanatorium in February, 1915, and remained eight months. In his letter he said he left the sanatorium because he did not believe he was receiving the proper treatment. He wrote to the Governor: "I was like many other patients, compelled to leave the sanatorium for my health."

His principal complaint was that, although the general rule of the sanatorium is that the patients should be kept in the rest cure, he was compelled to work eight hours a day driving a carriage and taking care of horses.

"I was asked by the Superintendent, Dr. C. C. English," he said, "to drive the carriage, which I did for a little more than three months. Lodging was as the records will show, and feeling bad, I asked the physician, Dr. R. E. Davis, three different times in two weeks to get someone else in my place, stating the cause. The last time I told him that I would quit in two days when there was anybody to take my place or not, which I did."

"I knew from past examples of other patients in similar positions that have broken no rules, or that would not submit to the iron will of the Superintendent and physician that I would be told that 'I could do no better, and be discharged or be humiliated and be made to feel like a pauper till I would leave of my own accord. This present condition has forced me to leave this supposed great life-saving station."

Nicolet then complained that when he departed from the institution Supt. English refused to give him his transportation back to St. Louis, as the law provides shall be done.

Nicolet said he was forced to obtain a room in Mt. Vernon and find light employment.

"I left, according to the rules," wrote Nicolet. "On this slip is a blank space to fill in the cause of leaving. I filled in, 'Discontented.' I believe that was the reason I was refused transportation to St. Louis."

Failed to Get Hearing.

Nicolet wrote that he took his case to the Board of Managers, which he said did not even accord him a civil hearing. He wrote that when he was driving a carriage he met all departing patients and that fully 75 per cent of them said they were leaving because they were not satisfied with the treatment they received. He asked that the Governor order an investigation, and expressed the opinion that such an investigation would show that a number of officials should be removed for the good of the institution.

Nicolet received a reply from the Governor's secretary, stating that the letter

Hughes, who was Superintendent. It was his custom to bring the children to me to punish them. Since I have been Superintendent I have adopted a different method. Instead of whipping them I withdraw from them privileges, such as attending the motion picture shows we have, or by requiring them to do some light work, such as folding napkins."

The superintendent said that as patients became better it was often advisable to give them light work to do. He said driving a carriage was not too hard work for Nicolet. Supt. English declared the complaint against the management of the sanatorium was caused by friction which had developed between William J. Salts of Rolla, the steward, and himself.

He charged that Salts had induced Nicolet to complain. Salts and Nicolet denied there was a basis for the superintendent's charge. There is friction between the superintendent and the steward, however, which has progressed so that nearly all the steward's duties have been taken from him and an assistant steward appointed. The steward is the only official connected with the sanatorium who is under bond.

The Board of Managers will hold its regular meeting in Mt. Vernon Saturday, and it is expected that at that time official action will be taken. Meantime the activity of members of the board and officers of the sanatorium indicate there will be developments. Salts was summoned to Aurora this morning for a conference with Minor.

The tuberculosis sanatorium was established by the 126 Legislature, which selected a site of 200 acres on a hill just outside Mount Vernon. The altitude is 1200 feet. There are nine buildings of brick constructed along the most modern plans for the treatment of tuberculosis.

The sanatorium represents an investment of \$447,000. It was opened for patients Aug. 1, 1907. There are now 20 patients, including those who pay for their treatment and free patients. Free patients are admitted after they make affidavits that they are unable to pay for treatment.

CONSCIENCE SLEPT 35 YEARS

Then It Awoke, and Woman Returns to Her Former Home.

PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—A pearl necklace that was stolen from Mrs. Howard Cooper Johnson, wife of a lawyer, when she was a girl, 25 years ago, was returned yesterday.

An anonymous letter accompanied the parcel post package which brought the necklace back. The writer explained that she had become conscience-stricken and could keep the necklace no longer.

Page Expects Sudden Peace.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Thomas Nelson Page, American Ambassador to Italy, who was President Wilson today, said he saw no immediate prospect for peace in Europe, but believed that when peace came it would be sudden, just as the war was begun. He did not think that efforts to mediate would be welcomed at this time.

Standard Oil Increases Wages.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4.—A general wage increase of

ADVANCE NORTH OF DEAD MAN'S HILL

German Positions in the Neighborhood of Verdun Captured, and Consolidated, and More Than 100 Prisoners and Four Machine Guns Are Taken.

MORE RUSSIANS ARE LANDED IN FRANCE

Fifth Contingent of Muscovites Are at Marseilles—Rumor Says That Civil Population Is Departing From Metz.

PARIS, May 4.—The advance of the French in the district of Dead Man Hill during the night, the War Office announced this afternoon. The gains made yesterday were increased and consolidated.

As a consequence of the French artillery preparations at Dead Man's Hill yesterday, the statement says, two German positions surrendered, stating they were the sole survivors of the men in their trench.

The communication issued last night said: "West of the Meuse there was a violent bombardment in the sector of Avocourt. Toward the end of the afternoon our troops, by a brilliant assault, captured German positions northwest of Dead Man Hill. We took about a hundred prisoners and four machine guns."

Berlin Admits French Gained Ground at Dead Man's Hill.

BERLIN, via London, May 4.—It was officially announced today that the French had obtained a foothold in one of the German advance posts south of Dead Man Hill.

MORE RUSSIANS REACH FRANCE

MARSEILLES, May 4.—Another contingent of Russian soldiers, the fifth, arrived here this morning and was received with notable military and popular receptions. The troops proceeded to the camp at Mirabeau.

Belgian Column in Africa Takes German Position.

HAVER, May 4.—The Belgian Minister of the Colonies states that Gen. Tombeur, who commands the Belgian forces operating on the Eastern frontier of the Congo, turned the enemy's position, defending the passage of the Ruzizi River and landed on the German shore of Lake Kivu. This maneuver was carried out under the cover of the fire of Belgian river gunboats and forced the enemy to evacuate their position on the Ruzizi, south of the lake.

The Belgian column crossed the river and occupied the German position at Shaurumungu. Belgian troops also entered the German territory north of Lake Kivu.

One Man Killed When Spanish Steamer Is Sunk.

MADRID, May 4.—The Spanish steamer Vinifreda, bound for Liverpool, was sunk April 30. One man died and was killed and five men were wounded. The first officer says he felt a shock, followed by a violent explosion, and the ship sank in 10 minutes. The captain and the crew were asleep below, but were able to save themselves in the ship's boats.

Turkish Troops Are Concentrated at Smyrna.

PARIS, May 4.—Turkish troops are being concentrated at Smyrna, according to dispatches from Athens received here by the Havas Agency. The dispatches state that Gen. Liman von Sanders has arrived at Smyrna to superintend the defense of the Asiatic.

Rumor Says That Civil Population Is Leaving Metz.

LONDON, May 4.—Reuters' Amsterdam correspondent telegraphs that information which is regarded as trustworthy has been received there that Metz is being evacuated by the civil population.

Metz, the capital of Lorraine, and a city of about 60,000, is rated as one of the strongest fortresses of the world. It is about 15 miles north of the fighting line and 40 miles east of Verdun.

British Schooner Is Sunk by a Submarine.

LONDON, May 4.—The British schooner Maud of Jersey has been sunk by a German submarine.

\$1,800,000 FOR DIVERSION DAM

Amount Added to River and Harbor Bill for Los Angeles.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The Senate Commerce Committee today added \$1,800,000 for construction of a diversion dam in Los Angeles harbor to the river and harbor appropriation bill. As amended by the committee, the measure would appropriate about \$48,000,000, an increase of \$3,000,000 over the House bill.

Other amendments to the House bill include \$250,000 for San Diego harbor, California; an increase from \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000 for the Mississippi River from the mouth of the Missouri River to Minneapolis; and an increase from \$50,000 to \$1,000,000 for the passes at the mouth of the Mississippi.

Daily Routine of Women's Training Camp Is Described by a Post-Dispatch Writer

Volunteers Rise at 6:30; Work for 10 Hours

By MARGUERITE MOORE MARSHALL.

A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and the New York World.

CHEVY CHASE, Md., May 4.—(Any letter from a girl who's gone to be a soldier to her chum who's stayed at home.)

Dearest Nell: For two whole days I've lived in the women's military camp—Commandant Elizabeth Elliott Poe calls it the National Service School, but I think "military camp" sounds much nicer. I feel just like a soldier, and I must tell you what I've been doing.

It's so original and difficult and, of course, terribly important. Some things are dreadfully uncomfortable, but then, as I have always said, one should be willing to make ANY sacrifices for one's country. And I'm getting up at half-past six and eating prunes for breakfast is going to help us when we go to war with—(deleted by the censor) I for one am perfectly willing to endure these hardships.

My dear, we are ROUGHING IT! When the women's section of the Navy League said that in order to be "intelligently helpful in time of national stress" we must have a camp where we could train, I thought it would be something like father's camp in the Adirondacks—stone fireplaces, hardwood floors, plenty of servants—you know the sort of thing.

Five Women in a Tent. But at Chevy Chase we are living in khaki tents, such as army men have, and there are five of us in each tent. Just fancy. I was one of a crowd, and I knew all my tentmates, but the 29 girls here are from 15 different states, and lots of those who have been put together never saw each other before. Yet the space is so small in the tents that the beds almost touch. The tent arrangements are positively primitive. To be sure, we do have electric lights, which must be doused (I think that's the military word) at 9:30, and we have floors of unpainted boards raised six inches from the ground.

But the beds are canvas army cots—no springs, no mattress. There are no cinders, no bureau, not even the tiniest dressing table. We must keep our clothes in our suit cases or hang them on the ropes that run from the central pole in the tent to its outer corners. In each tent are one or two folding camp chairs, five gray enamel basins, a pail for a water pitcher, and one 12-inch mirror fastened to the central pole. One mirror for five girls, and we have to dress in 15 minutes.

How the Beds Are Made. We must make our own beds and keep the tents clean. The rule is to fold your blankets across the foot of the bed and your dressing gowns across the top. Every day one of us is appointed tent orderly for her tent, which means that she is responsible for its neat appearance. She must keep the tent clean, too, and see that the tent cords are lowered and raised at the proper times. When it's good weather we have the sides of the tent rolled up from inspection, at 8:30 a. m., till retreat, at 6:30 p. m. I was tent orderly yesterday, and when Commandant Poe inspected, she found the tent crumpled and a hairpin right in the middle of the floor. Wasn't that shocking.

I got a reprimand—that's the penalty for "untidiness in person or tent." Many military disciplines are fearfully strict. Our old boarding school was go-as-you-please compared to camp. Fancy, we can't have any candy in our tents! An awfully pretty girl, Lena Hitchcock, who was guard the first day, told me that. And rule 12, posted in the mess hall: "If you're absent from taps you may be sent away from camp. Insubordination is punished 'according to the degree of the offense'—isn't that suggestively fiendish? Repetition of any offense means that your pass privileges are taken away from you. You can't go away from the camp without a pass from your commanding officer."

Real Tragedy Witnessed. Do you know, while I was waiting to be registered the first morning I saw a real tragedy. A perfectly stunning woman came into the camp enclosure, followed by her chauffeur, who carried her suit case and a lovely big box of chocolates. I think one of the guards spoke to her, for she turned to her man, who had just set down the suit case, and said sort of proudly and firmly: "Take the candy back, James. We can't have it here. Wasn't it noble?"

If you disobey any one of 14 rules, you may be punished by expulsion from camp.

"Dishonorably discharged," don't they call it in the army? Offenders who are court-martialed, if you're absent from any formations your name is to be posted in the mess hall; if you're absent from taps you may be sent away from camp. Insubordination is punished "according to the degree of the offense"—isn't that suggestively fiendish? Repetition of any offense means that your pass privileges are taken away from you. You can't go away from the camp without a pass from your commanding officer."

Just remembering all the regulations is work enough, maybe you think, but we're not allowed to think so. The worst of it is that the work isn't particularly thrilling. I wish there was a little more excitement about learning

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how to save the country. I thought we might take long rides, for cavalry practice, and I hoped there would be rifle practice and tennis courts and a big swimming pool. Of course the program arranged for us is awfully sensible, but some of the girls think it's just a bit stupid.

Awakened by Real Bugler. We get up in the morning at 6:30. David Kemp, the dearest little pink-cheeked boy, calls a B. C. D. that the four companies, A, B, C, D, that compose the Marine Corps, but he bugles beautifully, too, even though the other calls always sound better than reveille. At 6:40 the guard raises the flag. The guard consists of one squad of five from one of the four companies, A, B, C, D, that compose the two battalions. The guard girls wear red sashes around their waists and are changed each day. They are picked from the same company as the officer of the day, who wears a red sash over her left shoulder.

We assemble, by companies, for military calisthenics at 6:45. They're just setting-up exercises, you know, and they last for half an hour. Breakfast is at 7:30 and inspection of tents at 8:30. So we can't linger very long at table. From 9 to 9:30 we have 20 minutes more of drill and then there are classes from 9:30 to 12:30.

Besides the calisthenics and drilling, we have to take the course in surgical dressings. The instruction tents, in charge of the Red Cross, are just across the road from camp. There are 300 day students who come there for work, but they are not allowed in our camp except during the regular visiting hours—oh, dear, no! They can't even eat lunch with us, although there's room for 100 extra people in our dining room. No, dear, as I heard Commandant Poe herself put it, is to be allowed to intrude on us in our eating and living quarters. Anyway, there's a perfectly good lunch pavilion over in the field—for the day girls.

Surgical Dressing Classes. They say that the surgical dressings classes will use up 400 yards of gauze every week for bandages and dressings. They will be distributed among the War and Navy departments and the marine corps. I hope the dear Marines get the most; they've been so sweet to us and they teach us so much. You know, that's perfectly fascinating. You stand on the grass and make yourself into a sort of human windmill. We are crazy about it and after class is over we wander off in little groups and practice it. Then such a delicious dinner from the Red Cross is teaching us first aid. We girls bandage each other. And a woman nurse tells us how to make soups and things for the sick; she has a little stove and a refrigerator in her tent. Next to her is the Red Cross worker, who teaches sewing, the making of dressing gowns and bed socks for the dear soldiers. And there are lessons in elementary hygiene. It's interesting to think that we can learn so much in two weeks, when a hospital nurse must train for two or three years.

Dinner is at 11:30, and there are classes again from 1:30 to 3:30. Then we go to the big lecture tent and hear talks on preparedness and the Swiss military system and that sort of thing. From 5 to 6 is recreation, retreat is from 6 to 6:20 and supper follows immediately. Between 7:30 and 9 we have sing-songs or illustrated lectures. Tattoo is at 9 o'clock and taps at 9:30. The officer of the day goes around to see that all the lights are out. We can't get night leave; just think, for two whole weeks I can't go out to dance or to the theater!

Men Callers Not Allowed. And we are allowed no men callers. It's visitors' hour between 5 and 6 and men may enter the camp grounds at that time, but we can't receive them in our tents. Registration morning one young man jumped the hedge just to say good-by to a girl, and the guard warned him out and told him not to come back.

The uniforms are fearfully hot. There's a khaki Norfolk jacket and a short-sleeved skirt worn over bloomers or riding breeches. The first day we had to stand for hours and hours, although I heard one of the older women say that it shouldn't happen again. We must wear flat-heeled shoes and a campaign hat with a dinky blue and gold cord—or black and gold, if you're an officer. We have four plain white shirt waists, and lots of the girls wear brown flannel blouses. Sundays we are allowed a white skirt 8 inches from the ground. The uniform is fairly becoming to some of the girls, but it isn't what I'd pick out for stout women.

You know, we're not supposed to wear jewelry. But I saw one woman with gray hair—elaborately waved—who had the biggest pair of pearl and diamond earrings I ever beheld. We girls were all talking about it. We were surprised to find so many elderly women at the camp anyway. We thought it was for young people—between 18 and 25.

What the Girls Get to Eat. Are you wondering what we have to eat? Well, my dear, it's not French cooking. Far from it! For dinner the first day we had roast beef, potatoes, asparagus, peas and corn, with pineapple for dessert. For supper we had cold roast beef, fried potatoes, sliced tomatoes and tea. They gave us stewed prunes, bacon and eggs, toast and coffee for our first breakfast. The Marines have lent us one of their Quartermasters, who has had a lot of experience in providing for camps. But a number of the girls wanted French cooking. And the dishes are thick with things that could be used as ammunition if we had any cannon. They say our food costs 40 cents per girl per day.

Now, don't you think I'm a patriot? No, indeed, I'm not going to give it up! I'm here to stay, as Commandant Poe says, and I shall persevere to the end. One should be willing to sacrifice a fortnight for the sake of being prepared. There are ever so many New York girls here. Why don't you come for the last two weeks in May?

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Passenger Service to Europe to Resume.

NEW ORLEANS, May 4.—Announcement was made yesterday by the local agent of the French line that passenger traffic between New Orleans and Havre, France, interrupted by the outbreak of European hostilities, would be resumed May 20. The first sailing will be by the steamship Carolina.

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PRESIDENT TO TRY TO ATTEND WORLD COURT CONGRESS

Sends Word He Will Go to New York Gathering Tomorrow Night if Possible.

NEW YORK, May 4.—United States Senator Warren G. Harding of Ohio, addressing the world courts congress here last night, pleaded for "a red-blooded Americanism, armed and unafraid, so prepared for defense that we need never surrender our just rights before a world in arms."

"We must be fit to meet a peril," he declared, "and there ever will be a peril, the leading nations of the earth join us in a commitment to the cause of international justice, judicially decided."

Senator Harding asserted it was as easy to believe in the fraternity of nations as states.

"If a triple alliance, why not a world alliance?" he asked. "If a quadruple entente, why not the entente of all civilization, in the name of justice for all mankind?"

"The man who expects justice as his right," he said, "must freely grant it to his duty before the international court of justice. Nations would suffer no more or less than individuals do in their courts, and the uninterrupted tranquility of peaceful pursuits would compensate tenfold."

"Our great nation speaks for justice. On the very verge of involvement, we plead for our rights under international law. There is a cry for humanity's sake in the official papers, but our demand must rest on our rights under the law. We demand only justice, and while asking for ourselves we must stand ready to grant it to others."

History indicates how world road to universal peace might be constructed on the principle of outlawry and excommunication for offenders, former Gov. Simeon Baldwin of Connecticut said.

Prof. Albert Bushnell Hart of Harvard said that race tension first must be taken into account in trying to bring about world peace and to establish a decisive tribunal.

"Unless some outlet is given, the world over, for the submerged, yet keenly conscious race factions," he continued, "there can be no guarantee against the outbreak of civil wars, which may easily lead to world wars."

"Race hatreds, however, are not the strongest elements in bringing about modern wars. The ultimate cause of all wars is the desire of men to control the actions of other men, and to drive them into submission by any needful force. The remedy for that state of things is such a combination of the weak as makes them more powerful than the strong."

Judge D. D. Woodmansee of Cincinnati, another speaker, said: "The nations of the world are now crying out in their despair for means of protection and defense that will be their security in the years to come. That cry is not going for guns, bombs, Zepplins and dreadnoughts, but rather for some unseen power and influence that shall guide and keep them and establish a 'riding peace on earth.'"

United States Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman of Illinois urged that America keep out of the European conflict, adding that "defensive warfare we must wage only if it be thrust upon us."

"A neutral people possessed of the blood of all Europe, with the best of their institutions borrowed, blended and adapted to the uses of our country," he said, "will be the most powerful agent in rewriting the disordered fabric of both Hague conventions."

President Wilson, it was announced, has sent word that he will attend the closing session of the congress tomorrow night, if possible.

K. of C. Choral Club, Odessa, Tonight.

Boys Arrested Blame Older Lad. Two 13-year-old boys, arrested last night after they had smashed a show window in the Reid shoe store, 711 Washington avenue, and stolen two pairs of shoes, told the police an older boy had induced them to do it by promising to teach them to be "good burglars." They were sent to the House of Detention.

Autos Killed 43 in Philadelphia in 1916.

PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—Forty-three persons were killed by automobile and automobile trucks in this city since Feb. 1, 1916, according to statistics made public by the Coroner's office.

Children Enjoy Circus. Children will learn more by "seeing" than reading. Get them the McKinney Animal Circus, 16 animals in natural colors. One wrapped every day with each loaf of Bismark Bread. Tent for circus when collection is complete. Ask your grocer.

B'Nai B'rith Dedicates Hospital. HOT SPRINGS, Ark., May 4.—The B'Nai B'rith of the Southern District No. 7 (Southern), Independent Order of B'Nai B'rith, was dedicated here yesterday by delegates to the grand lodge, which closed its annual convention in Little Rock last night.

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STEPHENS ONLY BIDDER FOR STATE PRINTING CONTRACT

Awarding of Work Postponed Till Monday as Two Officials Are Not in Capital.

JEFFERSON CITY, May 4.—Although bids for the State printing contract were not opened today, it is practically certain that the contract will be awarded to the Hugh Stephens Printing Co. of Jefferson City again, as no other bids had been received up to the time set for opening the bids at 10 o'clock today.

Secretary of State Roach and Auditor Gordon, two members of the Printing Commission, were out of town and the opening of the bids was postponed until Monday.

After a letter had been received by members of the board here yesterday from Charles L. Hertenstein, demanding, on behalf of the St. Louis Typographical Union, that the contract should not be awarded to Stephens, the Bookbinders' Union, the Typographical Union and the Pressmen's Union of Jefferson City, at their meeting last night, adopted resolutions condemning Hertenstein's protest, and declaring that the Stephens company is on good terms with organized labor.

Hertenstein Explains Opposition to Hugh Stephens Co.

Charles Hertenstein, district organizer of the International Typographical Union, commenting today on the adoption by the Jefferson City branch of the International Bookbinders' Union of resolutions protesting against Hertenstein's fight on the reawarding of the State printing contract to the Hugh Stephens Printing Co. of Jefferson City, said the action of the bookbinders indicated that Stephens was using the whip on them.

The Stephens company, he said, employs the members of the Bookbinders' Union and most of the printers and pressmen in Jefferson City. He thinks that Stephens inspired the protest and that he will also cause the printers to protest. "I am satisfied, however," he said, "that when I explain my position to the Typographical Union Sunday the members will indorse my action."

Thinks Stephens Will Get Job. Hertenstein is satisfied, he says, that no matter who bids on the job the contract will be awarded to the Stephens company. The bids close today.

The protest of Hertenstein was contained in letters he sent to Secretary of State Roach, State Auditor Gordon and State Treasurer Deal, who compose the State Printing Commission. He did not write to Stephens, and concludes that one of the members of the commission showed the letter to him.

The letters alleged that the Stephens shop at Jefferson City and the shop of the E. W. Stephens Printing Co. at Columbia, which is nonunion, are under the same ownership. The allegation is also made that a union printer who applied at the Jefferson City plant for work was turned away when it became known that he had walked out of the Stephens shop at Columbia.

Denies Rejecting Union Printer. Hugh Stephens is son of E. W. Stephens, principal owner of the Columbia shop. He denies that his father is interested in the Jefferson City shop and denies that a union printer failed to get employment because he had walked out of the Columbia shop.

The contract for State printing amounts to about \$120,000 a year. The Stephens company has had it 14 years. The new contract, to run six years, will be let by the committee after next week. The award will be made to the "lowest and best" bidder.

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SENATOR O'GORMAN NOT TO BE IN FIELD FOR RE-ELECTION

Feels That He Should Attend to Personal Affairs After 24 Years in Public Service.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Senator O'Gorman will not be a candidate for nomination at the coming primaries to succeed himself. The senior Senator of the Empire State, who was elected following a 14-day deadlock in the New York Legislature five years ago, made known his decision in the following statement: "I have decided not to accept the nomination for re-election to the Senate. When my term expires on March 4, 1917, I shall have completed an uninterrupted public service of 24 years, 18 years as Judge and six years as a Senator. My personal affairs now require and should receive my undivided attention."

MAY SEES THE PRESIDENT

Executive Favors Senate Provisions in the Army Bill.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Chairman Hay of the House Military Affairs Committee, one of the conferees adjusting points in the army bill discussed between House and Senate conferees today with President Wilson.

Hay said that the conferees had reached a discussion of the volunteer army feature of the Senate bill and that the Senate conferees were pressing for its adoption, while the House conferees took the opposite stand. The President favors the Senate plan.

Union Men Called Out in Sympathy With Hod Carriers

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tractors, with offices in the Merchants-Laclede Building, a Post-Dispatch reporter was referred to Supt. Richardson, in charge of improvements being made at the Diesel Engine Co. plant. Richardson said that a committee appeared at the works this morning and called on him to strike the plumbers and ironworkers.

He said he could not understand their action, as the company is employing no laborers in place of the five laborers who went on strike Monday. He said the committee did not discuss any questions with him, but simply called the men out. He said that only 10 or 12 men were called out. The union leaders say that 30 quit work. Richardson said that the strike would not affect the construction work.

H. D. Spiva, president of the St. Louis local of the Hod Carriers and Building Laborers' Union, said that fully 600 skilled laborers would be on strike by evening. He said nine of the smaller contractors had signed the union scale and that tomorrow the skilled laborers would be called from work upon all small operations if the contractors should not sign the scale.

Master Builders' Statement. The Master Builders' Association, in refusing the demands of the men, issued a statement in which reference was made to the fact that the demand for an increase from 25 cents to 35 cents an hour came from a

Lumber Increase Suspended.
WASHINGTON, May 4.—Proposed increases of from 1 cent to 3½ cents per hundred pounds in rates on lumber in carloads from Memphis, Helena and

other points in Tennessee and Arkansas to points in Iowa, Minnesota and other Western and Northwestern states, were suspended today by the Interstate Commerce Commission until Nov. 14, pending investigation.

Scott Agreement, Purely Military. Before President

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Scott's power had been widened, as he announced after the first conference that, as the withdrawal of the troops was essentially a State Department affair, he could not discuss it. It is presumed that the State Department conferred the necessary powers on him.

Advices received in Juarez today indicated that First Chief Carranza had given his consent to the terms agreed upon by his Minister of War.

Gen. Obregon told his associates that he saw no reason why the settlement should not be quickly effected and he believed that the tension between the Americans and Mexicans would quickly disappear when the news was spread that an understanding had been reached that had for its object the retirement of the American soldiers from Mexican soil.

Time Limit Thought to Be 2 Months.
Everyone conceding that the troops were to be withdrawn, the greatest interest centered in what the time limit will be. The usual guess was two months. It is known that Obregon considered three weeks a fair time for the column to get out of Mexico, if the order were to be given at once. Doubtless this time he considered a fair thing.

It is the argument of the Americans that it should be still further extended is believed to have prevailed.

Obregon agreed to police the territory to be evacuated by the Americans, saying that he could put an army of at least 25,000 at the task of hunting down Villa and of breaking up the bandit bands.

The fall of Cuernavaca, which was a sort of Zapatista Verdun, has released Pablo Gonzalez' army, he said, and it would be moved north.

Obregon's arguments and statements of fact worked both ways. Whenever he pointed out the quality and positions of his soldiers, he not only emphasized his ability to take up the chase of Villa, but the Americans had no difficulty in seeing that these same troops could be turned against the Americans if the conference failed to preserve peace.

Offer to Reopen the Mines.

A. J. McQuatters' part in the proceedings, besides his able arguing, was to testify that the American owners of mines in Mexico were ready to resume operations at once if peace between the United States and Mexico was assured, and safety from bands guaranteed. The immense financial assistance this would be to the wobbly Carranza administration was apparent and the great economic boon was made plain.

McQuatters' company, the Alvarado, is said to employ 12,000 men in its workings near Parral. As the inhabitants of this section are nearly all mine workers, and as the mines are closed, their case has been desperate of late. To reopen the mines would bring great prosperity to that section. The same condition obtains in many other places in Northern Mexico, and resumption of mining activities under amicable and peaceful conditions would change the whole aspect of the Northern Mexican states.

The prospective agreement between the conferees and the settlement of the question in the manner now indicated is not popular in army circles and among the people of El Paso, the chief border city and a stronghold of Villa sentiment.

Conferees Refuse Information.
Gen. Scott spent the day in his private car, refusing to see callers. Gen. Funston was engaged with business of the Department of the South, apart from the conference, and Gen. Obregon was engaged in his various duties on the south side of the Rio Grande.

The Mexican General could be seen, but he had nothing to say, and he turned visitors away as rapidly as politeness would permit. An air of exuberance pervaded his car and everyone aboard presented the appearance of a person celebrating a diplomatic victory.

Gen. Gabriel Gavira, who commands much of the district through which the expedition has passed, telegraphed to his officers that Mexico and the Mexican people would be well pleased by the result of the conference and that the protocol, when made public, would give additional cause for satisfaction to all true Mexicans.

The object of his telegrams was to assure the officers that an advantage had been gained and thereby to slacken the tension which has existed between Americans and Mexicans along the line of the expedition.

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FAY DEFENSE NEARS CLOSE

Munition Ship Conspiracy Case May Go to Jury Tomorrow.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Although subjected to a rigorous cross-examination today, Lieut. Robert Fay could not be shaken from the essential details of the narrative he related yesterday. Fay, together with Walter Scholz and Paul Daech, is being tried in the Federal District Court here on the charge of conspiring to blow up munition ships.

Fay denied that German authorities had taken any part in the alleged plot to sink munition ships by the aid of a rudder bomb which he invented. The defense announced that it would close probably tonight. In that event the case will go to the jury tomorrow.

New Kansas Instructor in Journalism.
LAWRENCE, Kan., May 4.—Frank B. Thayer, a graduate of Oberlin College, Oberlin, O., and Wisconsin University, has been appointed an instructor in journalism in Kansas University.

All Savings Deposits Made on or Before May 5 Draw Interest from May 1.
St. Louis Union Bank, 4th and Locust.

Woman in Canoe Drowned.
WAVERLY, Mo., May 4.—Ruth Tyrrell, 19 years old, was drowned last night in the Cedar River when the canoe in which she and John Wile were riding capsized. Miss Tyrrell was a student at the State Teachers' College.

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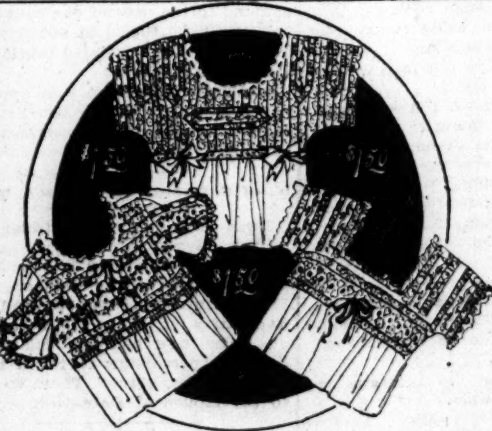
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Dresses

Dresses That Were Up to \$100

We have gone through our stock and selected almost all of our high priced Dresses and reduced them for this sale. Two were \$100, one was even \$110, three were \$85, seven were \$75, one was \$70, twelve were \$65, one was \$60, eight were \$55 and two were \$50. All on sale tomorrow at.....

\$37.50



Our "May Sale" of Nightdresses

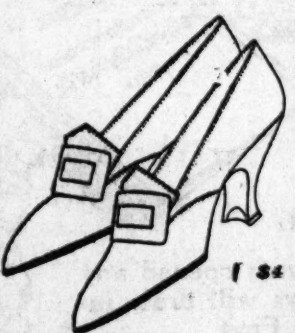
Featuring Nainsook and Batiste
Gowns at Special Prices

Pictured are three of the beautiful Gowns in this unusual assortment. There are many dainty creations in white nainsook and flesh colored batiste, beautifully trimmed—back and front—with laces and embroidery. Very specially priced for this sale at.....

\$1.50

Pumps!

"Colonials" have once more assumed the leading role in Footwear styles, and are showing a pleasingly complete array of them in all leathers and colors.



As Pictured—
This beautiful Colonial is priced very special for this anniversary event. It comes in gray, champagne, bronze, white, glassed and patent kid and has leather Louis heels and light walt soles. Priced at

\$4

(Balcony Floor.)

\$2.65 Taffeta Petticoats

A very special lot of Taffeta Petticoats have been reduced for Friday. They come in plain and changeable colors and have deep umbrella flounces. On sale at.....

\$1.95

"Frill" Blouses

Several hundred beautiful "Frill" Blouses are offered special for Friday at

\$1.95



Nothing is prettier or more stylish than the frilled Blouses now so much in vogue, and we are showing some dainty volles and batistes in solid colors and combinations. They are variously trimmed in frills, and some have dainty semi-frill effects. Special at

\$1.95



"Always Ready"
With

New Hats

Tomorrow we are showing a most comprehensive assortment of new Hats, specially priced for Friday's sale at

Over 300 Hats
\$5
No Two Alike

These wonderful Hats are copies of much higher priced models and adaptations from the newest Parisian creations, and they represent the very latest ideas in fashionable headgear. There are over 300 Hats in this sale, in all colors and shapes—special at

\$5

(Second Floor.)

Stix Baer & Fuller

GRAND LEADER SIXTH WASHINGTON SEVENTH & LUCAS SAINT LOUIS

Bargains for Friday

See the Exhibit of the
Little Theater
In our Book Department—
Second Floor.

Maple Layer Cake, 30c

Three layers of light, flaky cake, with a filling of maple and nuts—specially priced Friday and Saturday at (Main Floor—Candy Section.)

Lobster Day Tomorrow in the Restaurant

The Luncheon at 50c will include Lobster in any style.
Whole Baby Lobster
Cooked, ready to take home,
Special, 40c
(Sixth Floor.)



\$1.25 Kid Gloves, 90c

Women's Washable Kid Gloves, in white and colors—plique or outcans. (Main Floor.)

Men's Nightshirts, 59c

Made of extra good quality checked nainsook, with V-shape neck. Come in all sizes—regular 75c quality. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Skirt Patterns at \$1.95

3 1/4-yard patterns of Black Mohair Brilliantine, with shadow stripes—quantity sufficient for the new wide flaring skirts.
Values are about double Friday's sale price. (Second Floor.)

40c to 60c Cretonnes

Twenty-five pieces—in the season's latest designs and color combinations—offered Friday at a saving of about half, or at yard, 25c (Fourth Floor.)

Inlaid Linoleums

Of extra heavy weight, of the better kind—excellent patterns, and in every color combination—very special at, square yard, 79c (Fourth Floor.)

Dinner Sets, \$4.25

Fifty-two-piece Dinner Service, of gold-banded American semi-porcelain. Complete for six persons—regular price at \$5.95—special for Friday, \$4.25 (Fifth Floor.)

15c to 25c Embroideries

Sample strips of fine Swiss, cambric and nainsook Embroideries, Edges and Insertions embroidered in floral and scroll effects. Specially priced for Friday's selling, yard, 10c (Main Floor.)

Rugs

Samples From the Salesrooms of
S. SANFORD & SONS
Priced at Unusual Savings in These Days
of Rising Markets

\$29.75 Seamless Axminsters, \$23.75

Size 9x12 feet—in beautiful Oriental and allover effects, suitable for living rooms and dining rooms. Rugs which are exceptional value at their regular price.

\$19.75 Seamless Axminsters, \$15.00

Size 6x9 feet—in handsome Turkish designs and plain effects. Ideal for large halls and living rooms.

\$39.75 Seamless Wiltons, \$32.00

Cashmere Wilton Rugs—size 9x12 feet, in exceptionally pretty designs and colorings.

\$21.50 Triple Brussels Rugs, \$16.50

These are the heaviest Brussels Rugs woven—made seamless, and come in size 9x12 feet. (Fourth Floor.)

Screens—All Sizes

Screen Wire, 12c Yd.

Good quality—black japanned—30 inches wide. Limit of 10 yards to a buyer.

Screen Doors

Made of 1 1/2-in. stock, natural finish—covered with best quality screen wire.

2 ft. 6x6 ft. 6
2 ft. 8x6 ft. 8
2 ft. 8x8 ft. 10
2 ft. 10x6 ft. 10
2 ft. 10x7 ft. 10
3 ft. x 7 ft. 10

Window Screens

Adjustable—strongly made of hardwood, covered with best quality screen wire.

Size	Close	Ext. Price
24 in.	24 in.	25c
30 in.	24 in.	24 in.
36 in.	24 in.	27 in.
36 in.	24 in.	27 in.
36 in.	28 in.	45 in.

Five of the
Styles at
\$1.98 and
\$2.98.



Blouses

In the 1916 May Sales

Again, Friday, We Will Show New Styles in Each Price-Group
—But Will Feature Special Lots at

\$1.98 and \$2.98

Scores of Irresistible Styles in Waists of Summer Materials

At \$1.98—You will find an especially large variety of Blouses in colored batiste, with coin dots in a number of colors—Blouses of plain-white batiste, of French batiste, of allover embroidered voiles and of tucked voiles.

They are trimmed with pretty laces, medallions, imitation and hand-embroidery, cape collars and tucks. All made with long sleeves and flat collars.

At \$2.98—Is a wonderful collection of refined styles in little Blouses of organdie and French batistes. They also come in all-white, French voiles combined with handkerchief linen. The Sport Shirt of handkerchief linen in various combinations is a feature of this group.

Not only white, but all the attractive colors of the season are included. (Third Floor.)

The New Millinery

In chic styles for Summer, including dress, semi-dress, tailored and sport Hats, and all most reasonably priced at

\$5 \$7 \$9 \$10

Many of them are beautifully trimmed. The shades include pink, natural, also white and black. The collection is a most interesting one throughout.

Untrimmed Hats

A wonderful selection, including White Milan, Hemp Sailors, Hair Braid Hats, Leghorns, with velvet and panne crowns, White Bleached Peanut Hats, at prices ranging from

98c to \$4.48

(Third Floor.)

Women's \$1 Silk Stockings, 65c Pr.

Several thousand pairs of pure thread Silk Stockings, in black and colors, with silk clockings, in self and contrasting colors, with extra spicings of lace thread, in soles, toes, high heels and double garter tops. Slightly imperfect—choice, 65c pair

CHILDREN'S FANCY SOCKS

—Plain silk and lace thread—in white and colors, with fancy checked and striped tops. Double heels and toes. 25c Special.

MEN'S PURE THREAD SILK SOCKS

—Drop-stitch effects—colors and white. Slightly irregular. 50c Grade, 3 pairs, \$1.00—pair, 35c (Main Floor.)



Stylish New Skirts

Of Silk, Goline and Wool Fabrics
Regular \$6.50 and Up to \$12.00 Values

Special, **\$4.95**

This Friday sale is the result of several advantageous purchases, and the assembling of all remaining ones, two and three of the popular-selling numbers from our own regular stocks.

EVERY Garment Represents a Late Spring Style.

Materials are—silks, in black and fancy stripes—black-and-white, also colored stripes—good-looking Goline Skirts made with pockets and detachable belts, and Cloth Skirts in checks, poplins and serges, in utility and sport models. Choice, \$4.95. (Third Floor.)

Boys' 2-Trouser Suits, \$3.75

Exceptional Value

Several broken lines from our regular stock of Boys' New Spring Norfolk models, with patch pockets, one and three-piece belts.

Each Suit has two pairs of full-cut and full-lined trousers. All are in this season's wanted colors. Sizes 6 to 17 years.

Boys' Trousers—Made of all-wool materials. Cut full and lined throughout. Special, \$1

Rainy-Day Outfits, \$1.98

Consisting of Boys' Waterproof Coat and Hat to match. The Coats full length, with cemented seams—regularly \$2.50.

75c Rah Rah Hats, 45c

Come in blue serge, black-and-white checks and French mixtures, also a complete line of Washable Hats—choice of the entire lot, 45c (Second Floor Annex.)

Women's 50c Union Suits, 35c

Of fine ribbed cotton—plain or Newform style, with lace-trimmed or tight knees—mercerized taped neck and arms. 3 for \$1

Cotton Vests, 15c

Women's fine ribbed Cotton Vests, in extra sizes—tape in neck and arms.

\$1.00 Union Suits, 69c

Women's fine ribbed lace-trimmed knees—extra sizes—slight irregulars.

WOMEN'S GLOVE-SILK CAMISOLES—In pink or white, finished with dainty lace and ribbon. Regular \$1.50 value—special, \$1.15 (Main Floor.)

Stationery

Engraved Die With Box of Embossed Stationery for **59c**

An extraordinary offer, which includes engraving of the die (which becomes your property)—box of one quire of Paper or 24 Correspondence Cards, or a box of half Paper and half Cards—embossed in any color, gold or silver, with Envelopes to match, though not embossed all for 59c.

ORDERS taken and deliveries made in one week to ten days. (Main Floor.)



Wedding

Announcements

100 complete Wedding Invitations or Announcements, printed in Tiffany Old English lettering (face-name of engraving) on silver-white vellum paper, special for Friday and Saturday only. \$1.49 Fifty Pure Linen Calling Cards—neatly type-o-graved in Old English letter—Friday and Saturday only. 25c (Main Floor.)



A Sale of Jewelry

50c to \$1 Pieces

32c

A sample lot from a Providence manufacturer!

Included are Sterling Silver, Gold Plated and Fancy Enamelled Pieces—La Vallieres, Bracelets, Bar Pins, Brooch Pins, Pearl Beads, Fancy Neck Beads, Hatpins, Velvet Neckbands, Dorin Powder Boxes, Bag Tops, Cuff Links, Long Coat Chains, Gunmetal Coin Holders, Sterling Silver Rings, Cuff Pins, Earrings and many others. Choice of the entire lot Friday, 32c (Main Floor.)

Wall Paper

In a Room-Lot Sale

\$1.50 Room Lot, 92c

Consisting of 10 rolls for Slide Wall, 13 yards of Border and 6 rolls of Ceiling Paper, in good designs for bedrooms and kitchens.

Beautiful black-and-rose and black-and-yellow Borders—cut out—priced, 6c to 12 1/2c yd. Silk Stripes to match, 10c roll (Fourth Floor.)

Curtains

To Sell at Half Price

Here are just a few of the wonderful values which we are offering Friday in this great May Sale of Lace Curtains.

\$2 to \$2.75 Lace Curtains, Pr., \$1.25

Marquissette and Voile Curtains, with handsome Cluny edges, others with Florentine embroidered corners and fancy lace edges—Net and Scrim Curtains, with wide insertions and edges.

\$4 to \$4.75 Lace Curtains, Pr., \$2.25

Marquissette Curtains, with Cluny insertion and edges—Point d'Esprit, Net Curtains and handmade Arabian Lace Curtains, with large corner motifs.

\$5 to \$6 Lace Curtains, Pr., \$2.75

Handsome Voile Curtains, with Fllet insertion—Irish Point—dainty Brussels Net Curtains, Beige Point Milan and Battenberg Curtains, all of an exceptionally fine quality. (Fourth Floor.)

Friday Sales in the Bargain Basement

Sample Corsets, 85c

Odd lots of standard makes, in a good size assortment—made of batiste and coutil—all are rust-proof and have two pairs of supporters—all sizes. Some slightly soiled. (Basement.)

Curtains, \$1.00 Pr.

Just 100 pairs of Marquissette Curtains, of splendid quality, with wide hemstitched edge—ivory and beige color—remarkable value at the price.

10c Brass Rods, 5c

Extension Rods of extra heavy quality, with wide corrugated ends—extend to 54 inches, and come complete with fixtures. White lot of 1000 lasts (no mail or phone orders), at 5c each or (Basement.)

25c Marquissette

A Bargain Table with 1000 yards of Curtain Marquissette, Voiles and Scrim, in remnants up to 2 yards in length—(many pieces alike)—while the lot lasts, 5c yard (Basement.)

Sale Men's Collars

6 for 15c

Or 25c Dozen

Several hundred dozen Collars of a well-known brand—four-ply, absolutely perfect.

Many different styles, in all sizes, offered in a sale and at a price that assures quick disposal—special, 6 for 15c—or, 25c doz. (Basement Annex.)

Spring Suits Greatly Reduced \$7.98 and \$10.00

Excellent Suits in the late Spring styles—both plain tailored and fancy trimmed.

Materials are poplins, gabardines, serges, black-and-white checks, mixtures and novelty cloths.

Colors are tan, navy, green, Copenhagen, brown, checks and black. All sizes from 16 years to 44-inch chest measurement.

Spring Coats at \$3.98

Regular \$5 and \$6.98 Values

Belted, flare and loose-fitting styles—some trimmed with silk collar and cuffs, and fancy pockets—others are plain tailored. The materials are corduroys, whipcords, black-and-white checks, mixtures and novelty cloths—all sizes. (Basement.)



Remnant Sales

REMNANTS Sea Island Muslins

—unbleached—40 inches wide—3c quality—yard, 5c

REMNANTS Dress Ginghams

—fancy plaids, checks and stripes—10c quality—yard, 5c

REMNANTS Palm Beach Suiting

—solid colors and woven stripes—tan colored—15c quality—yard, 10c

REMNANTS Pajama Nainsook

—all-white, small corded checks—36 inches wide—12 1/2c quality—yard, 7 1/2c

REMNANTS India Linons—fine

sheer quality, white, 12 1/2c quality—yard, 7 1/2c

REMNANTS Solisettes—(name on selvage)—mercerized, in solid black, white and colors—25c quality—yard, 10c

REMNANTS White Flaxons

—plain weave, double width—25c quality—yard, 7 1/2c

REMNANTS Pillowcases and

Tubings—bleached, 36, 42 and 48 inches wide—15c and 20c qualities—yard, 10c

REMNANTS Apron Ginghams

—Amoskeag Mills—small blue-and-white checks—10c quality—yard, 6 1/2c

REMNANTS Amoskeag Chambrays

—solid colors—32 inches wide—15c quality—yard, 7 1/2c

REMNANTS Amoskeag Zephyr

Dress Ginghams—checks, stripes and plaids—in all the season's newest patterns—32 in. wide—15c quality—yd., 7 1/2c

REMNANTS Batiste Lawns

—fancy printed—7 1/2c quality—yard, 5c

REMNANTS Pique Crepes—white

and colored, soft finished, for underwear—15c quality—yard, 7 1/2c (Basement.)

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Dress Goods Remnants

Two cases of the very finest fabrics, such as Clifton Broadcloths, Serges, Gabardines and Suitings, in black and all Spring colors—lengths up to 1 1/4 yard (a few of them match), 50c and all 54 in. wide—each, 50c (Basement.)

\$1 Silk Gloves, 50c Pr.

Black and Colored Silk Gloves, some with embroidered tops—double finger tips. (Basement.)

39c Union Suits, 29c

Women's fine ribbed Cotton Union Suits, with lace-trimmed knees—taped neck and arms. (Basement.)

Art Rugs, \$3.60

Reversible Art Rugs size 9x12 feet.

—made of heavy granite yarn, and the colors are fast. Excellent for dining rooms and bedrooms—special, \$3.60

Rug Lengths, \$2.49

Four-yard Axminster Rug Strips, with border on ends, which are ideal for hall rugs or strips for rooms.

Velvet Rugs, \$16.49

Wilton Velvet Rugs—very slightly shaded, but in the most artistic designs—size 9x12 feet. If perfect, would sell for \$22.50. (Basement.)

Chocolates, 15c Lb.

Fine grade Assorted Chocolates—fresh from our own Sure-Pure factory—offered special for Friday at 15c pound (Basement.)

Housefurnishings

Coffee Mills, 59c

Made to attach to the wall. Have glass canister which holds one pound.

Spie did grinder, for coarse, medium and fine.

Gas Irons, \$1.95

Family size—nickel-plated finish. Complete with stand and 5 feet of metal tubing.

Floor Mops at 59c

Brush style, chemically treated, for hardwood and painted floors.

Saucepans, 39c

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At JUDGE & DOLPH FRIDAY & SATURDAY

12 Gillette Razor Blades	65c
7 Gem Safety Razor Blades	23c
\$1.00 Gem Safety Razor	55c
Williams' or Colgate's Shaving Soap	2 for 5c
\$1.00 Listerine	55c
25c Rubber Set Toothbrush	15c
25c Freeman's Face Powder	17c
50c An Ounce White Rose Perfume	27c
Mary Garden Perfume, ounce	\$1.65
25c Blue Jay Corn or Bunion Plasters	15c
25c Colorite (Hat Stain)	15c
3 Cakes Palmolive Soap and 50c Palmolive Face Powder or 50c Vanishing Cream for	44c
Pound Gum Camphor	59c
Pound Moth Balls	16c
Pint Witch Hazel	15c
Box (1 Doz.) Seidletz Powders	19c
25c Woodbury's Soap	15c
25c Johnson's Shaving Cream	16c
50c Java Rice Powder	25c
50c Stillman's Freckle Cream	29c
25c Pond's Vanishing Cream	16c

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"PIZARRO-CORTEZ" LETTERS READ AT RAILROAD HEARING

Two Presidents Likened Themselves to Conquerors Dividing New World.

By Associated Press. May 4.—Correspondence purporting to have passed between Milton H. Smith, president of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, and the late Samuel Spencer, president of the Southern Railway, relating to an alleged agreement to divide the South between the two roads, was introduced by counsel for the Interstate Commerce Commission at today's investigation of the Louisville & Nashville's affairs.

In the correspondence the writers likened themselves to Cortez and Pizarro, conquerors of a new world, met to divide it—one agreeing to take North America, the other South America, neither to touch the Isthmus and unable to agree on Patagonia.

President Smith of the Louisville & Nashville said he remembered no such correspondence and characterized it as "rot."

The correspondence was dated in 1896 and resulted, Chief Counsel Folk of the Interstate Commerce Commission said, from a meeting between Smith and Spencer at Kennesaw, Ga., Oct. 18, 1894.

Pizarro-Cortez Letter.

The first letter from Smith to Spencer, Folk read into the record as follows:

"Dear Sir—

"Pizarro: How shall we divide the new world?

"Cortez: I will take North America and you can have all of South America except one, and neither of us will do anything to the Isthmus without notice to and co-operation of the other.

"Pizarro: While Patagonia is not a very large part of the world, yet perhaps it is as much as I can take."

This letter was dated on "Pennsylvania Railroad Train No. 21, Feb. 22, 1896," and after this introduction took up details of the railroad situation in the South.

The next letter, apparently from Spencer to Smith, was dated New York, Feb. 23, 1896, and began as follows:

"Private and confidential:

"Mr. M. H. Smith, president L. & N. Railroad, Louisville, Ky.:

"Dear Sir—Your letter of the 23d inst.

"Pizarro—Since our last conversation the division of the new world between us has made some progress.

"Cortez—Yes, you seem to have acquired Patagonia, and I have secured a considerable part of North America, which touched my former territory, but it seems to me you have acquired a considerable neck of the Isthmus, which is the connecting link between us. Was it understood that connecting links which touched both of us should be a matter of consultation before action, or not?

Folk then read from the letter "a statement of principles" on which the alleged understanding was based, which included that neither the Louisville & Nashville nor the Southern would acquire lines in the territory of the other, and that neither would foster construction of new lines nor completion of unfinished ones into the territory of the other.

"When questions with reference to such lines arise," it said, "we shall proceed by agreement with each other if possible." Some exceptions were to certain small Southern lines were stipulated.

"How did you make out on the division of the new world?" asked Chief Counsel Folk of President Smith when he had finished reading.

"The Southern got everything it wanted," replied Smith. "I didn't even get a neck of the Isthmus."

Smith was asked to tell what happened at the conference at Kennesaw, Ga.

He replied that the Southern Railway was then in process of organization and that he conferred with Spencer over the organization plans. The witness had tried hard to have rates maintained, in the face of general rebating, he said, and was interested in having the Southern take over as many roads as possible where those roads were not needed by the Louisville & Nashville.

"Then we would have one big road to deal with," he said, "and it would be much easier to maintain rates than to do so by agreements with a whole lot of little fellows."

Denies Knowledge of Letters.

Smith said he knew nothing whatever of the "Pizarro-Cortez" correspondence, and regarded it as a cheap attempt at humor and a waste of typewriting labor.

Smith then was asked if he and Spencer had considered themselves as "Cortez and Pizarro."

"Well," he said, with a chuckle, "I have heard we did. But it was some lawyer who said so first. And, anyhow, gentlemen, isn't this a fine thing for the great Government of the United States to be investigating?"

The thought appeared to appeal humorously to him, for he leaned back and laughed heartily.

Folk wanted to know if freight and passenger rates might not be affected by campaign contributions.

"Not the slightest," said Smith.

Before his counsel could stop him, Smith told the commission he didn't know how much the L. & N. contributed to campaign funds last year.

FRANCE BORROWS SECURITIES

PARIS, May 4.—Minister of Finance Ribot today issued the expected call to holders of securities of neutral nations, payable to bearer, to lend them to the Government for use in guaranteeing exchange operations.

The loans are to be made for the period of one year, the holders reserving the right to negotiate the securities as if they were in their own possession.

Djer-Kiss Gift Week

With every box of Djer-Kiss Face Powder bought this week in our Toilet Goods Shop we are including a dainty Djer-Kiss Sachet. First Floor.

Be Sure to Inspect the Shakespearean Exhibit on the Fourth Floor



Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney
Established in 1850
OLIVE — LOCUST — NINTH — TENTH
The Best Goods for the Price No Matter What the Price

See Today's Star
and Times
for Additional
Store News

Our May Sales of Muslin Underwear and Shirtwaists Are Events in Which Every Woman Can Profitably Participate

Two Special Groups of Newest Muslinwear at 98c and \$1.98

We shall feature—on Friday—two new groups of Undermuslins at May Sale prices, and hundreds of women will be quick to take advantage of such a splendid buying opportunity.

Group No. 1—Choice at 98c

Many styles in Women's Slipover, square and high-neck Nightgowns—daintily trimmed. Sale price 98c

Women's new flare-style Petticoats of fine cambric, trimmed with fluffy lace or embroidery ruffles. Sale price 98c

Group No. 2—Choice at \$1.98

Women's Ruffled Petticoats—a great variety. One model has three small ruffles of fine lawn and is trimmed with band of Val. lace. Sale price \$1.98

Women's Nightgowns of soft nainsook, one of which is trimmed with narrow Val. lace and dainty tucks. Sale price \$1.98

We are showing a wide assortment of Women's Envelope Chemises, prettily trimmed with fine laces and embroideries. Sale price 98c

Women's Corset Covers in numerous styles, trimmed with Swiss medallions and lace insertions. Sale price 98c

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Shirtwaist Week Brings Many Especially Important Values

We are daily making additions to the wonderful lot of Waists which we are offering during this, our Annual Shirtwaist Week. There are scores of models from which to choose and the values are out of the ordinary. For example:

Batiste Waists at \$3.50

Women's soft Batiste Waists with rever-jabot and large square collar; trimmed with three rows of Val. lace and with lace-trimmed cuffs; sizes 34 to 44. Special at \$3.50

Voile Waists at \$5

Women's fine Crepe Voile Waists with embroidered front and with Venise medallions. The collar is trimmed with the Venise lace; turnback cuffs. All sizes up to 44. Special at \$5

We Have One Shop Devoted to Inexpensive Dresses

Our Inexpensive Dress Shop offers, for Friday, a most extensive assortment of Street and Afternoon Frocks, made from serge, in solid colors and checks, and from taffeta, silk faille, foulards, crepe de chine and novelties; choice of the best shades of the season. Prices \$14.75 to \$19.75

A Fresh Lot of Cotton Frocks at \$5

We shall also offer a special group of fresh Cotton Frocks in many styles, materials and colors, and in all-white.

These have full-flaring skirts and are finished with cords and tucks, and plain self or ribbon girdles; pretty collars and cuffs. Price \$5

A Sale of \$6 and \$7 Pumps

For Friday we will have a very pretty novelty in a Colar-trimmed Pump.

These are of patent leather with white cloth collars, patent leather with white kid collar and patent leather with gray kid collar.

They were made to sell for \$6.00 and \$7.00 a pair. Sale price \$4.95

Valenciennes Laces at Special Prices

French and German Val. Laces are offered in a large assortment of beautiful patterns, in both Edges and Insertions, varying in width from 1/2 to 1 1/2 inches; values 65c and 75c a dozen yards. Special at 12 yards for 50c

Shepherd Checks

54-inch Shepherd Checks in small, medium and large sizes. This is one of the season's most desirable materials for separate skirts and entire suits. Special, the yard, \$1

White Ribbon

White Taffeta, Satin and Brocade Ribbons for confirmation and graduation wear. The yard 29c and 39c

Madras Curtains

Imported Scotch Madras Curtains in three choice patterns, suitable for bedrooms or living rooms; easy to launder. Special at the pair 98c

Furniture Offerings

Black Iron Cots for sleeping porches; head and foot fold in, making them flat so that they may be laid away; 2 1/2 ft. size. Special at \$1.95

Cotton Felt Mattresses, in size 4 1/2 ft.; value \$10.50. Special at \$8.50

Telephone Stand and Chair, in Fumed, Early English, Golden Oak or Mahogany finish. \$5.00 value for \$3.50

Folding Card Tables with either felt or imitation leather top. Price \$2

Old Ivory Chairs and Rockers, with seats and backs upholstered in fancy art cretonnes. Each \$12



New Shirting Silks

- Made for this store.
- They are tubable.
- The styles are the latest.
- Qualities are the best.
- They are the proper colors.
- All woven on white grounds.
- Both wide and narrow stripes.
- They give the best service.
- Correct for men and women.
- Excellent for sport suits.
- They are 32 inches wide.
- They would be cheap at \$1.25.

The Price—\$1 a Yard

Second Floor.

Startling Sale of Women's \$16.50 to \$25 Silk and Cloth Suits at \$9.75

On Friday we will offer, for the first time, about 250 Women's Silk and Cloth Suits at this startlingly low price. There are about 25 or 30 different styles for choice, every one of which is new and thoroughly desirable.

About half of these garments are of the much-wanted silk faille and taffeta, while the others are of fancy checked worsteds, wool poplins, gabardines, serges, combinations of cloth and silk, etc.

Plenty of navy, black, Copenhagen, greens, tans, checks, grays, etc. Sizes 16 and 18 years, and from 34 to 44 bust measure; not all sizes in each style.

Just think of buying these stylish new \$16.50 to \$25.00 Suits at

\$9.75

None on Approval, Exchanged or Credited

A Sale of Sewing Machines

We have a limited quantity of brand-new Sewing Machines—drophead style, with five-drawer, golden oak cases—which we will offer, on Friday and Saturday, while they last, at \$16.50

Each of these Machines is sold with our usual ten-year guarantee and a full set of steel attachments.

Easy terms of \$1 down and \$1 weekly, if desired.

Fourth Floor.

Friday's Bake-shop Special

Our Bake Shop will feature—for Friday only—delicious Lady Baltimore Layer Cakes of the regular 60c size. Special at 49c

Table Decorations

—\$1.39 a Set

First Floor.

We secured another lot, although limited, of those very popular Table Decorations, each set consisting of a clear 11-inch crystal Bowl, a Flower-holder and a large, bright-colored butterfly instead of birds, as illustrated.

Sale price, while they last, the set \$1.39

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NURSE TELLS OF VILLA'S WOUNDS

Guerrero Woman Says He Was Brought to Her Home With Head Bandaged.

WITH GEN. PERSHING, April 30, by motor truck to Columbus, N. M., May 4.—New details regarding the reported wounding of Villa in the fight

with Carranzistas at Guerrero have been brought into this camp. Charles E. Tracey, a scout, visited Guerrero the day following Villa's flight from that town and went to the home of Senora Refugia Saenz, the nurse in whose house Villa is said to have been cared for after being wounded. Tracey asserts the Mexican wept for

two hours before he would admit knowing anything regarding Villa's condition. Then she said the bandit leader was brought to her home with his head bandaged so he could not be recognized, that her own folks were ordered out of the place and only she and Gen. Beltran were allowed in Villa's room.

ZEPPELIN RAIDER
WRECKED ON THE
COAST OF NORWAY

L-20, Returning From England,
Blown Against Mountain—
Crew of 16 Interned.

LONDON, May 4.—The Zeppelin L-20, which was wrecked in falling at Tafso Firth, Norway, belonged to a squadron of five airships which attacked the east coast of England and Scotland Tuesday night, according to a member of her crew, says a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. Of the 16 men on board the Zeppelin, which was commanded by Capt. Stabberg, all were rescued and interned by the Norwegian authorities. One of the crew said the Zeppelins were forced by gunfire and adverse weather to cut short their attacks, and that owing to a lack of benzine the L-20 was unable to keep in company with the other raiders. She was driven eastward by a strong wind and hurled against a mountain side.

Previously several of the men had jumped into the sea and had been picked up by boats. When the craft hit the mountain its after body broke in two and part of it fell to the ground. Others of the crew jumped or were hurled out. The Zeppelin then rose a little and was driven again over the sea, where the bag of the dirigible collapsed in the center and the airship descended rapidly to the water. A torpedo boat, which had been following along the coast, rescued three men still in the cabin.

The L-20 is the third airship the Germans have lost in the North Sea, the others having been the L-19 and L-15. An official statement says that on Tuesday night's raid about 100 bombs were dropped, scattered over many localities.

"In only a single locality did the raiders cause casualties or effect much damage," the statement says. "The casualties totaled six men—one of them a soldier—and three women killed, and 19 men, including three soldiers and eight women injured—a total of 38. The remaining 70 odd bombs occasioned only two casualties, one soldier and one child slightly injured."

A German airplane yesterday afternoon made a raid on Deal. No fatalities resulted, but a man and a woman were injured. A church and two houses were damaged. Seven bombs were dropped. The airplane approached Deal from the direction of Ramsgate, and after dropping the bombs retreated, pursued by British aircraft.

Busy Bakery Special This Week.
Delicious Breakfast Buns, 15c dozen.

ROW OVER PRICE OF "O-HEN"
COCKTAIL LANDS TWO IN COURT

Restaurant Manager Refuses to Prosecute Racketeer Club Member and New York Friend

Arthur Y. Wear of 412 Union boulevard, dry goods commission merchant and Raquet Club's champion racket player, appeared in police court this morning with his guest, James Clarity of New York, as a result of a packet that started in Nagle's restaurant yesterday afternoon over the price of an Ojen (pronounced o-hen) cocktail. The restaurant manager, A. V. Minnigrode, refused to prosecute and the charges were dismissed.

Wear afterward told a Post-Dispatch reporter that he and Clarity had been charged 35 cents each for an Ojen cocktail Tuesday afternoon, although they had protested that 25 cents was the charge at any other bar. Yesterday they returned to Nagle's and asked a different bartender the price of Ojen cocktails. He said they were 25 cents.

Clarity then demanded a 20-cent refund, more for the principle of the thing than for the money. The management called a policeman to restore quiet. Wear and Clarity spent an hour at Police Headquarters and then were released to appear in court. Wear is 34 years old, Clarity 38.

The ingredients of an Ojen cocktail are "two fingers" of Ojen, a Spanish intoxicant; two dashes of Peychaud's bitters, lump of ice and seltzer.

La Salle Friday Bargain.
Our delicious Vanilla and Maple Pecan Patties, 40c grade, 25c lb.

SKELETON OF BOY KIDNAPED
FIVE MONTHS AGO IS FOUND

Handkerchief Tightly Bound Around Neck of 8-Year-Old Philadelphia Lad

PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—With a handkerchief tightly knotted around his neck, the body of 8-year-old Richard Meekin, who was kidnaped last November, was found beneath underbrush on the outskirts of the city, yesterday. A letter received by the child's mother last January enclosed a diagram showing where the body of the boy, who, the writer said, had been murdered, would be found. The spot indicated in this diagram is only a short distance from the place where the body was.

Only the skeleton remains. Identification was established from the remnants of his clothing.

South Side Day Nursery Spring Bazaar
The South Side Day Nursery will hold its annual Spring Bazaar on Friday, May 5, from 1 to 6 p. m., at the Nursery. Owing to Mrs. Eliza How's generous legacy, the Nursery will be resplendent. The children's playground has all been relaid in new bricks, and Mr. Frank Crumley of Crumley-Martin Woodware Co. has furnished two fine new lawn swings as a gift to the little folks, and the children find them a never-failing source of pleasure. We hope the people of St. Louis will come in force to our party—we know it would do them good in these days when the world is so full of man-made misery, to see some genuine, hearty, man-made happiness.

Steinberg's
OLIVE AT TENTH

Announce for Friday a Sale of Women's & Misses'

New Spring Suits

Values From \$45 to \$57.50 for

\$29.50 and \$35

This event will prove welcome to those who require a suit, as it provides very uncommon values, in styles that are most desirable. Included are tailored, semi-tailored and dressy models of serge, gabardine, velour, homespun, etc.

Palace Specials for Friday and Saturday!

Real hand-painted China at greatly reduced prices. An exceptional opportunity to buy practical, inexpensive presents at bargain figures. 75c and 50c pieces for, choice. **39c**



Don-bon or Nut Sets, consisting of larger dish and 6 individual dishes; Mayonnaise or Whipped Cream Sets, bowl, plate and ladle; Lunch Sets, tray and cup; Ice and Butter Tubs with drain, choice. **39c**

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Special values in Sterling Silver Tableware at very low prices

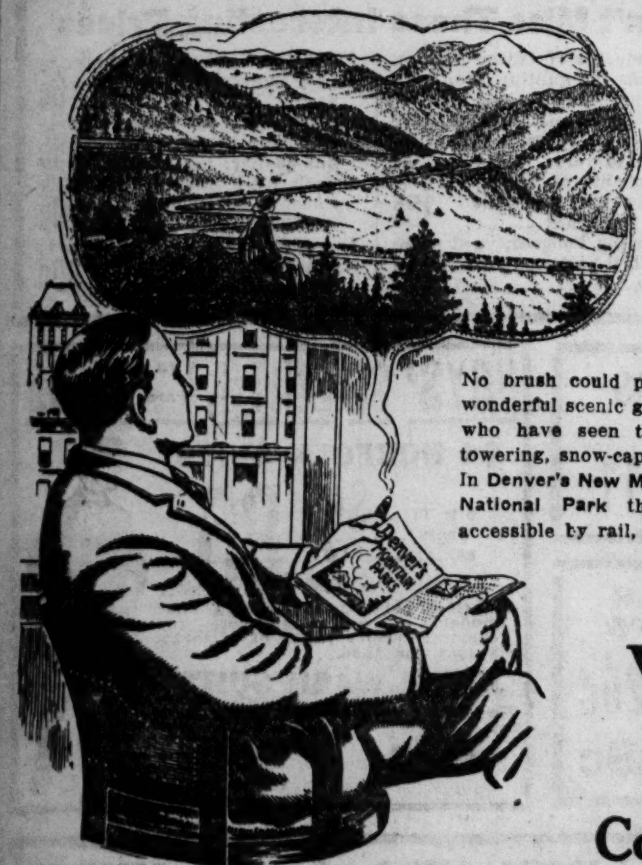
Another assortment—worth \$1.50 and 98c—choice. **79c**



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Honeymoon
Trail

No brush could paint or pen describe with justice, the wonderful scenic grandeur of the Colorado Rockies. Those who have seen them can never forget their majestic, towering, snow-capped peaks and rugged pine-clad cañons. In Denver's New Mountain Parks and The Rocky Mountain National Park the most attractive parts are easily accessible by rail, auto and trolley.

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Women's Double The Bargain MAY
PROFIT SHARING SALE
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FRIDAY Forceful Selling in All Departments — Remnants—Odd Lots—Priced for Quick Disposal!

Suits and Coats

Stirring Prices That Will Create Enthusiasm

\$19.50 and \$25 Suits

\$14.75



Women's sizes, 36 to 44; misses' sizes, 14, 16 and 18 years.
Newest materials—Gabardine, poplin, serge, Shepherd checks, taffeta.
Fashionable colors—Navy blue, solid blue, sand, rookite, gray, black and white.

COATS

Values \$16.75

\$10.00

Materials of gabardine, poplin, serge, taffeta, black and white checks. Flare coats, belted coats, fitted and semi-fitted models; excellently made and the latest effects. All sizes for women and misses.

\$1 and \$1.25 Silks, 79c
36-inch Messaline, 36-inch Striped Satins and Messaline, 40-inch Radium Satins, in stripes and Pongee Silks. (Main Floor.)

\$4.50 Traveling Bags, \$3.45
Genuine leather, leather lined, inside pockets, reinforced corners, brass lock and catches. (Third Floor.)

\$10 Go-Carts, \$7.95
Sturges one-motion Go-Carts, full size, high wood sides, 4-bow convertible hood, detachable wheels, heavy rubber tires, comfortably upholstered. (Third Floor.)

10c Cotton Challie, 7½c
36-inch Cotton Challie, neat patterns and floral patterns. (Basement.)

18c Dress Gingham, 10c
32-inch Dress Gingham, plaids, stripes, checks and plain colors, 3 to 15 yard lengths. (Basement.)

450 Pcs. Cast Aluminum Ware, \$2.79
Teakettles, Coffee and Tea Percolators, Rice Boilers, Coffee and Tea Pots. (Basement.)

\$3.50 Corsets, \$2.29
American Lady Corsets, in batiste, medium bust, straight hips; all sizes. (Fourth Floor.)

\$5 Corsets, \$2.95
Madam Lys, new Spring models, pink and white brocade, medium low bust; all sizes. (Fourth Floor.)

Women's Skirts, \$2.95
A surplus lot from a large manufacturer—assortment of materials and colors. (Second Floor.)

39c Handkerchiefs, 25c
Men's plain and initial German Linen Handkerchiefs. (Main Floor.)

50c Handkerchiefs, 35c
Men's and Women's Initial Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, fine quality. (Main Floor.)

6¼c Brown Muslin, 4¼c
Mill ends of 36-inch Bleached and Brown Muslin. (Basement.)

10c Brown Muslin, 6¼c
Mill ends of 39-inch Brown Muslin, made of finest quality Sea Island. (Basement.)

12½c Plain Chambray, 9c
32-inch Chambray, in plain colors, 3 to 9 yard lengths. (Basement.)

Table Damask, 33c
1½ to 3 yard lengths of bleached and cream Table Damask. (Main Floor.)

½ Doz. Napkins, 87c
Odd Napkins, put up in half dozen lots and specially priced. (Main Floor.)

½ Doz. Towels, 89c
Odd Towels, hemmed and hemstitched; put up half dozen in a lot. (Main Floor.)

25c Undermuslins, 19c
Including Drawers, Corset Covers, Petticoats and Children's Drawers. (Fourth Floor.)

Boys' \$2.50 and \$3 Wash Suits, \$1.59
The suits include Tommy Tucker, Middy, Oliver Twist and others; materials are chambrays, linens, reps, kindergarten cloth and crepes; sizes 2½ to 8 years. (Third Floor.)

Glass Flower Vases, 69c
10 and 12 inches high, floral and star cuttings, tall and squat shapes, also 2 and 3 inch Bud Vases, values up to \$1.50. (Main Floor.)

65c and 75c Linoleum, 39c Yd.
1 yards wide, in lengths up to 15 square yards. (Third Floor.)

\$1.25 Linoleums, 50c
Genuine Linoleum Linoleum, colors through to back, lengths up to 8 square yards. (Third Floor.)

\$15, \$12.50 & \$10 Suits, \$7.95
Boys' high-class Suits, expertly tailored, wool velours, homespun and serges, 7 to 17 years. (Third Floor.)

\$1 and \$1.25 Bedspreads, 88c
For large size beds, some slightly soiled. (Second Floor.)

\$9.50 and \$10.50 Beds, \$7.95
Vernis Martin Steel Beds, brass trimmed, full size. (Fourth Floor.)

85c to \$1.50 Dress Goods, 49c
2 to 5 yard lengths of all-wool French or Storm Serge, Crepes, Batiste, Voile, Crepe Egypte, Poplin, Shepherd Checks and Novelty Weaves, 42 to 54 inches wide. (Main Floor.)

\$4.50 Linoleum Rugs, \$2.65
Linoleum Rugs, size 6x9, good quality. (Third Floor.)

50c Undermuslins, 35c
Gowns, Drawers, Corset Covers; also Children's Gowns, Drawers and Skirts. (Fourth Floor.)

19c Shirts, 15c
Infants' white cotton, buttoned front, long sleeve Summer Shirts, ages 1 month to 2 years. (Fourth Floor.)

19c Bands, 15c
Infants' Knitted Bands with straps over shoulders and tabs to fasten diaper, ages 1 month to 3 years. (Fourth Floor.)

Men's and Young Men's \$3.50 Trousers, \$2.50
Large assortment of patterns to select from, all well made; sizes from 28 to 50 waist. (Third Floor.)

\$2 to \$3 Blouses, \$1.45
Tub Silk or Lingerie Blouses, in all styles and colors, embroidery and lace trimmed. (Second Floor.)

Men's \$1 Shirts, 68c, 3 for \$2
Sport or Outing Shirts, starched or soft cuff styles, neat patterns, good materials. (Main Floor.)

Women's \$1 Novelty Hose, 58c
Plain colored black and various shades, also fancy Novelty Hosiery, all pure silk, full fashioned; all sizes, some irregular. (Main Floor.)

25c, 35c and 50c Stockings, 15c
Pure Cambric, Silk and Wool and All-silk Stockings, for children and infants; all perfect, first quality; sizes 4 to 6½. (Main Floor.)

Men's 25c Half Hose, 12½c Pr.
Fine gauge Mercerized Half Hose, seamless, black and colors, fancy embroidered styles; first quality. Sizes 9½ to 11½. (Main Floor.)

Remarkable Shoe
Selling Tomorrow

\$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50 and \$5 Shoes

\$1.35

We have changed buyers in our Shoe Department. The new man has decided to discontinue certain lines of Shoes of the very best makes, to make room for purchases soon to arrive, of his own selection.

In this lot are 600 pairs of High Shoes and 1150 pairs of Low Shoes and Pumps. In the lot will be found patent leather, calfskin and kidskin, plain black and colors; cloth tops, patent kid tops and two-color effects. In the Low Shoes you will find practically all sizes; in the High Shoes, mostly sizes 2½ to 4½.

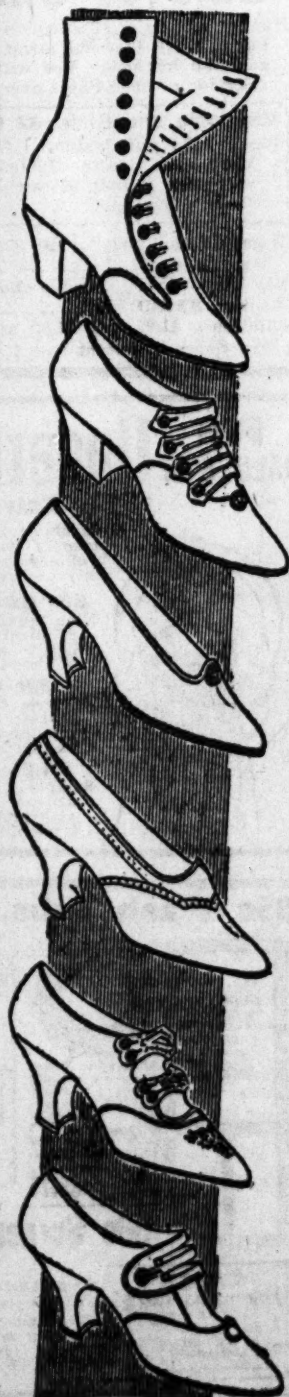
These Shoes will be found in a specially arranged section in our Basement. If you care to save, you can practically purchase three pairs of Shoes at the price of one in this sale tomorrow.

Every woman who appreciates shoe economy should take advantage of this sale.

Shoes for the Children
on Sale Tomorrow

About 350 pairs of desirable Shoes for children in various styles, at a price that will insure quick selling. \$1, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50 Shoes in one great lot for Friday's selling—

85c a Pair



B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO., Broadway, Washington & St. Charles St.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS REUNION

About 500 Members to Go to St. Genevieve Sunday.

About 500 members and guests of the St. Louis chapter of the Knights of Columbus will go to St. Genevieve, Mo., Sunday, for the annual reunion of the Southeast Missouri Knights of Colum-

bus. They will leave St. Louis on a special train over the Frisco at 8 a. m. and will return Sunday night.

At St. Genevieve the major degree will be conferred by District Deputy Joseph Kane upon candidates from Perryville, Cape Girardeau, Bonne Terre, Festus, St. Mary, Portageville and Poplar Bluff. A banquet will follow.

CENTURY

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Untrimmed Hats

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Choice of any color or shape in the entire assort-

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85c

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All Flowers and Feathers for Trimmings
25c, 50c and 98cALL HATS TRIMMED FREE ON FRIDAY
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1000 Trimmed Hats

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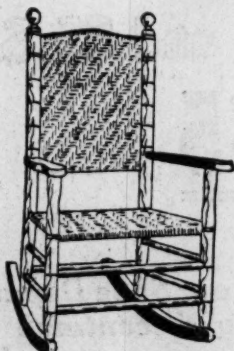
You want one or more pieces for your Sun Room, Porch or Living Room. We invite you to see our wonderful assortment of Chairs, Rockers, Settees, "Sitting Out" Chairs and Tables.

Our Summer Furniture is the strongly built, lasting kind and the pieces are so tastefully designed that you can use them the year 'round.



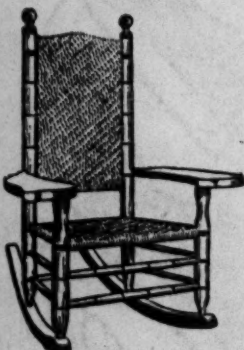
Ladies' Favorite Rockers

made of Natural finish Maple, ring turned, cane seat and back. Seat 15x18 inches. Back 22½ inches. Price only \$3.25



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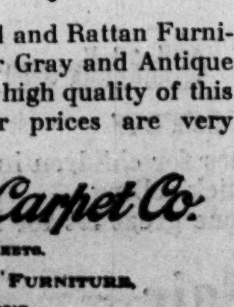
Old Point Comfort Rockers

made of Natural finish Maple, ring turned, cane seat and back, 21½-inch posts. A full size, comfortable Rocker. Price only \$8.75



Cane-Top Tables

Top 24x24 inches. Height 29 inches. Fine woven cane over wood. Natural finish Maple. Indispensable in your Sun Room or on your Porch. Price only \$4.25



We also have beautiful Willow, Reed and Rattan Furniture in great variety. Natural Silver Gray and Antique Ivory finishes. Notwithstanding the high quality of this Furniture—and it is the best—our prices are very reasonable.

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FLOOR COVERINGS, CURTAINS, FURNITURE,
INTERIOR DECORATIONSSPEEDER CHASED BY THREE
JUDGES GETS OFF WITH COSTS

Judge Stays \$25 Fine Because He Finds Prisoner Is in Moderate Circumstances.

Ralph McGaghey, 21 years old, of 1700 Parkes avenue, Clayton Heights, who was arrested at Clayton yesterday after his automobile was chased by an automobile carrying. Probate Judge Hodgdon, Circuit Judge Wurdeman and County Judge Buernann of St. Louis County, today were fined \$25 and costs by Justice of the Peace Matthews, before whom he pleaded guilty to speeding. Judge Wurdeman, one of the prosecuting witnesses, later remitted the fine and paroled the youth upon the payment of the costs, \$12.00. The parole was a surprise, because Judge Wurdeman was responsible for the young man's arrest.

When McGaghey, driving about 35 miles an hour, passed the car in which Judge Wurdeman was riding, the latter asked Judge Hodgdon to pursue him in order to "make an example of him." In granting the parole Judge Wurdeman said he had learned the youth was the son of a traveling salesman and was in moderate circumstances.

"Otherwise," Judge Wurdeman said, "he would have gone to jail. The day will come in St. Louis County when some sons of some of our rich men will be given jail sentences instead of fines. I think a sentence of two weeks or so would act as a warning to others and help stamp out the mania."

EFFICIENCY BOARD ARGUES
FOR LARGER APPROPRIATION

Board of Estimates Is Told That \$22,000 Set Aside Will Not Pay All of Salaries.

Chairman Rogers of the Efficiency Board and Patrick F. Cook, member of the board, appeared before the Board of Estimates and Apportionment today and asked for an increased appropriation. The board asked this year for \$28,000, but got only \$22,000.

Rogers told the Board of Estimates that merely to pay the salaries of the members and the present employees would require \$25 more than the \$22,000 appropriation.

Classification and standardization of employees in all departments is made obligatory by the charter. For this three more clerks and a stenographer will be needed, and Rogers estimates that the cost will be \$4000. Rogers, in a letter a few days ago to the Board of Estimates, wrote that unless the city appropriates the necessary money, contributions will have to be asked for or the service of volunteers must be accepted. Harry G. Glymer, member of the board, wrote to Mayor Kiel that he did not approve of asking for contributions.

WOMAN, SUED BY LOAN MAN
WILL GET \$74 FROM HIM

Jury Decides Claimant for \$400 Cannot Collect, and Must Repay Illegal Interest.

Miss Mary C. Flynn of 4309 Laclede avenue, a saleswoman for Famous-Barr, yesterday in Justice of the Peace Edward Rice's court got two verdicts against T. G. Hoffman, a money lender, with offices in the Granite Building.

Hoffman had sued for \$270, which he alleged was due on a note for \$400 several years old. Miss Rice filed a counter suit through her attorney, William Kohn, who alleged that Hoffman had paid to Hoffman \$490 in interest and principal on the note.

She asked for the return of alleged illegal interest. The jury decided against Hoffman in his suit, and then awarded to Miss Flynn \$74, alleged illegal interest, and \$50 attorney's fee, which Hoffman will have to pay.

COUNT BONI'S MARRIAGE TO
ANNA GOULD HELD TO BE VALID

Commission of Cardinals Again Rejects Appeal to Annul Bonds to Present Duchess of Talleyrand.

ROME, May 4.—The validity of the marriage of Count Boni de Castellane to Anna Gould, now Duchess Talleyrand, was confirmed today in a decision by the Commission of Cardinals appointed to consider the claim of the Count for annulment of his marriage.

Count de Castellane has appealed several times to the Vatican for a ruling that his marriage was invalid. His last appeal, which was now being decided against him, was filed in January of this year.

Busy Bee Candy Bargain Friday. Fine Assorted Chocolates, including Chocolate Maraschino Cherries, 20c lb.

Three Men Held Up and Robbed. William A. Brown of 3834 Blaine avenue was robbed of \$4.65 by a lone highwayman at Spring and Blaine avenues, about 2:30 o'clock this morning. Sam Kelly of 1502 O'Fallon street was held up by two men at Ninth and Market streets last night and robbed of \$8. John Hoffman of Madison, Ill., told the police that three men took \$9 from him at Eleventh and Chestnut streets.

La Salle Friday Bargain. Our delicious Vanilla and Maple Pecan Fatties, 40c grade, 20c lb.

Plant Manager Electrocuted Self. PORT JEFFERSON, N. Y., May 4.—William G. Wheeler, 64 years old, secretary and general manager of the Port Jefferson Electric Co., ended his life yesterday by placing his hands on the two main electric switches at the plant.

If You Wear a Watch. Wear the best. Easy credit terms at Lott's Bros. & Co., 24 floor, 308 N. Sixth street.

Coroner Investigates Woman's Death. The Coroner is investigating the death of Mrs. Mary Tobin, 22 years old, wife of John Tobin of 2508 North Twenty-second street, which occurred at her home yesterday. A physician gave the cause of death as peritonitis, but refused to issue a certificate. Mrs. Tobin's mother, Mrs. Mary Baker of 2223 Cass avenue, told the police that Mrs. Tobin fell down the steps leading to the cellar of the Tobin home, April 22, and was internally injured.

30 Boxes in Our \$1.00 Box
Fri. and Sat. Grimm & Gory.POPULAR FUND PLAN FOR TWO
BRANCHES OF CLEAN-UP WORK

Money Wanted for Fly Extermination and Gardening and Fountain Departments.

A popular subscription plan has been started by the St. Louis Continuous Clean-Up and Paint-Up Campaign, for the fly exterminating department and the vacant lot, gardening and drinking fountain departments.

The Fly Exterminating Committee, under the direction of Mrs. Eugene Senesky, has accomplished considerable in exterminating the disease-car-

rying pests. During April it paid 16 cents a hundred for all flies killed. During May the price will be 10 cents a pint.

The Vacant Lot Gardening and Street Fountain Committee, under the direction of Mrs. G. V. R. Mechin, president of the Woman's Council, and the Central Civic Committee of the Woman's Council, have several hundred vacant lots at their disposal, but are in the need of funds for plowing and for garden and flower seeds. Many of the owners of vacant lots specify tennis courts, which necessitates plowing and grading.

Persons desiring to contribute to the popular subscription fund for the

fly exterminating and vacant lot gardens and drinking fountain departments have been requested to send their subscriptions to John G. Lonsdale, president of the National Bank of Commerce, who is treasurer of the St. Louis Continuous Clean-Up and Paint-Up Campaign. The subscriber should designate the purpose for which it is desired the money should be used.

Falls Dead in Cass Avenue Saloon. William Giblin, 45 years old, of 1029 Cass avenue, fell dead in a saloon at 1001 Cass avenue last night. His body was taken to the morgue. An autopsy has been ordered.

Your Picture Enlarged Free

Bring this Coupon with a photo; it will entitle you to a superb \$1.98 Firmo Portrait Free

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St. Louis BARGAIN CENTER
We Give & Return SECURITY STAMPS

COATS ALL REDUCED!

\$6.98 & \$9.98 NEW COATS \$5.00

300 Spring Coats; all new, in 10 different styles, of chinchilla, mixtures, poplin, corduroy; in black. Prices have been \$6.98 to \$9.98, Friday.

150 SPRING COATS \$3.98

Five different styles; serges, checks and mixtures; have sold up to \$6.95, Friday.

200 Tailored
SKIRTS

Fine all-wool materials, black and blues, latest styles; have sold at \$3.50 for Friday.....

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They are made of fine poplins, checks, mixtures and gabardines; black and colors; have sold up to \$15.00; to be closed out.....

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Boys' 29c Hosiery

Extra heavy ribbed; double heels and toes; fast black; size 6 to 10; worth 29c; choice of any size, per pair.....

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Women's 12½c Vests

Regular or extra size; low neck, sleeveless. Each.....

6½c

Men's 50c Underwear

Shirts and drawers to match; in fine French balbriggan; all sizes, 24 to 34; regular 50c; each.....

35c

Women's 39c Union Suits

Low neck, sleeveless, lace-trimmed knee; regular or extra size; worth 39c. Special for Friday.....

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10c Values 15c Values

89c Chiffon 59c

Silk Chiffon Cloth, heavy, lustrous quality; all shades; 40-inch width, yard.....

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(Main Floor.)



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Our last car of Linoleum just received direct from the mill at the old price of 80c. It will be offered Friday at 79c and ½ less than the market price today; amongst the lot we have 1000 square yards of four-yard wide genuine cork Linoleum remnants of pretty bright cheerful patterns from 18 to 30 square yards at half original value; Friday only, square yard.....

\$16 BRUSSELS RUGS

A big bargain—Drummers' Sample Rugs; sold everywhere for \$16 to \$18, we have purchased 40 of them from a local jobber having been used as samples by their traveling men; closely woven; 16-ware, all-wool Brussels; prettily, bright, floral and Oriental patterns; size 8x12.....

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\$22 AXMINSTER RUGS

Size 12x12; a lot of extra-fine quality Axminster Rugs of various makes; choice patterns; floral, Oriental and small all-over effects; 8x12.....

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Night Republicans Seek President.
CHICAGO, May 4.—Headquarters for 30 states have already been reserved at various hotels here for the Republican National Convention. Presidential candidates who have engaged quarters are Theodore Roosevelt, L. Y. Sherman, Charles W. Fairbanks, John W. Weeks, William Alden Smith, Theodore E. Burton, Henry D. Estabrook, William B. Borah and Albert B. Cummins.

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FORD PEACE PARTY APPEAL PRESENTED TO THREE NEUTRALS

Representatives Graciously Received at Stockholm, Copenhagen and Christiania.

Correspondence of the Associated Press.
STOCKHOLM, Sweden, April 28.—The Ford peace party, reduced now to a working basis, with delegates present from the six neutral countries of Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland, Switzerland and the United States, has recently been very active here and has enjoyed the official recognition of having been received by the foreign ministers of the three Scandinavian countries. To each of these were presented appeals addressed in diplomatic French to the Kings and the Parliaments, asking that the neutral governments organize an official neutral conference to offer its services in bringing about peace. The Ford party is now known as an "unofficial peace conference of neutral nations."

The peace representatives were graciously received here at Copenhagen and at Christiania. No definite hope for consideration was held out to them, however, for the ministers declared their countries could only act when requested to do so by the belligerents. The same appeal, addressed to the President and to the "Parliament" of the United States, also was offered to the American Minister here, Ira Nelson Morris. Morris held, however, that it did not come within his diplomatic province to accept appeals directed to the President and to Congress, so he advised his visitors to present the matter direct to Washington.

The Ford appeal, which is to be presented also at Bern and The Hague, says in part:

"Has not the moment come to act? If, by an opportune step, an intervention of neutrals, the war could be shortened by a day, by a single day which destroys thousands of lives, ought not the step to be taken, no matter how difficult, how hopeless it appears?"

"History will severely judge the neutral countries if they remain here spectators of the terrible conflagration. They, too, suffer by the war, and the belligerents themselves have submitted their cause to the judgment of the neutral nations. They have spread over every country their White Books and Blue Books, and Books red and yellow. They have made their appeal to the conscience of the world."

"The neutral conference is acting in the spirit to the Hague convention of 1864. Article 2 of the agreement then reached distinctly provides: 'able that one or more neutral Powers should, upon their initiative, when they judge the circumstances propitious offer their services as mediators to the belligerent states.'"

"The exercise of this right will never be considered by one or the other of the belligerents an unfriendly act."

"In view of the right and the duty to which this agreement points, the unofficial conference now sitting in Stockholm respectfully appeals to the governments and parliaments of the neutral countries to employ every means to call into existence a conference for official mediation between the belligerent states."

The peace representatives also have had an interview with the British Minister here and have requested that they be given the right to travel freely in the belligerent countries, and that they be permitted to bring to Stockholm from these countries persons in a position to advise with the unofficial conference as to various steps to be taken in the future. The Minister said the matter would be considered.

Circus Only Two Days More.

But you can get an animal circus free with McKinney's Butternut Bread. Ask your grocer.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS PUT ON CENSORSHIP AT SEDALIA

Candidates for Governor Will Not Be Allowed to Make Personal Attacks at Rally Saturday.
The Democratic candidates for Governor who speak at Sedalia next Saturday will have to submit to the censorship of the Young Men's Democratic Club, under whose auspices the meeting will be held.

James E. Boggs of Columbia, president of the club, and Rob Roy Godsey of Webb City, secretary, have issued a statement that while the candidates for Governor will be permitted to speak, they will not be permitted to make personal attacks upon other candidates for Governor.

The attacks which Attorney-General Barker has been making upon the other candidates resulted in the officials of the club deciding that no candidates for Governor would be heard at the Sedalia, but that the candidates would be heard at the other meetings held by the club. However, they reconsidered their decision, and consented to let the candidates for Governor outline their own platforms and discuss issues which are in line with party principles. Fred D. Gardner will not attend the meeting at Sedalia, but will handle the matter there. The other candidates are expected to be there.

Diamond Rings, Pay \$1 a Week.
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ENGLAND WANTS TO SAVE HOURS

LONDON, May 4.—There now seems to be little doubt that Great Britain will follow the example of Holland and adopt the daylight saving system. Premier Asquith has promised to give a day for discussion of the question in the House of Commons. Home Secretary Samuel has written a letter for publication, strongly commending the idea, on the ground that it would be an important saving in fuel and illuminants.

All Savings Deposits made on or before May 5 draw interest from May 1. St. Louis Union Bank, 4th and Locust.

90c Special

No phone or mail orders filled. Quantity restrictions imposed.

Children's 18c to 25c Sox
Mercerized roll top, plain and a big assortment of fancy patterns; sizes 5 1/2 to 9; 9 o'clock special, pair..... **7c**
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\$1 to \$3 Trimmed Hats
A grouping of Trimmed Hats from regular stocks, including smart little turbans and sailors; flower and ribbon-trimmed; also misses' Hats; 9 o'clock special, choice..... **50c**
—Third floor.

Boys' 25c Union Suits
Knit and small check; and nainsook, ecru, white, sleeveless and 3/4 sleeves; knee length; 4 to 16 sizes; 9 o'clock special..... **17c**
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5c Coats' Thread
Coats' best quality 6 cord Spool Cotton, black or white; all numbers; quantity limited; spool, 9 o'clock special..... **2 1/2c**
—Main floor.

Fels-Naptha Soap
The well-known Laundry Soap; regular 5c cakes; limited quantity; 9 o'clock special..... **5c**
—Main floor.

5 Cakes for 14c
—Main floor.

\$5.50 Sport Coats
Women's and Misses' Sport Coats, wide flaring models with large patch pockets and deep cuffs; soft two-faced fabric; large plaids; 9 o'clock special..... **\$2.50**
—Third floor.

\$1.25 Crepe Chiffon
42-inch Crepe Chiffon; green, gray, blue, maize, Nile green, plum or black; 9 o'clock special, yard..... **83c**
—Main floor.

85c Bolt Longcloth
125 pieces of fine soft finished Bleached Longcloth; 10-yd. bolts; 1 bolt to customer; 9 o'clock special, bolt..... **55c**
—Main floor.

10c, 12 1/2c Hdkfs.
Sample lot embroidered Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, some all-linen, others sheer cotton with beautiful white or colored embdy.; 9 o'clock special..... **4c**
—Main floor.

50c Parlor Brooms
Medium-weight Parlor Brooms; 5-sewed; of selected quality broomcorn; limit of one to a customer; 9 o'clock special..... **19c**
—Fourth floor.

25c and 35c Voiles
36, 38 and 40-in. silky finish, beautiful floral designs, stripes, broken checks, large and small plaid effects; yard..... **15c**
—Main floor.

10c to 12 1/2c Embroideries
Cambric or Nainsook Embroideries and Insertions; medium widths; yd..... **6c**
—Main floor.

18c to 35c Embody., 10c
Cambric or Nainsook Embroideries or Insertions; in wide widths; yd..... **10c**
—Main floor.

15c Roller Toweling
Full bleached, 17-inch roller toweling, with neat blue borders, warranted all linen; very absorbent; yd..... **10c**
—Main floor.

The Boys' Store Offers Tomorrow
\$4 Two-Pant Suits
Both Pants Lined Throughout
Handsome Spring patterns in patch pocket Norfolk Coats—3-piece suits—two pairs full cut knickers lined throughout and made with belt loops; ages 6 to 16..... **\$2.77**

Boys' \$1 Wash Suits
Billy Boy, Tommy Tucker and Midway styles, choice of plain colors and combinations—absolutely fast colors; ages 3 1/2 to 8..... **59c**

Boys' 50c Blouses, 38c
New crisp Spring patterns in tapeless Blouses, Madras, percales and chambrays; collars attached—ages 6 to 16.

Boys' 50c Coat Shirts, 37c
Striped madras and percales; also plain white and plain blue chambrays, cut full and collar attached; 13 to 14 neck.

—Second floor.

WONDERFUL SAVING CHANCES FRIDAY IN The Lindell's First Anniversary Sale



Jaunty New Trimmed Hats

at **\$2.50**

Instead of \$5 to \$7.50

Half and less for smart new Sailors, small turbans and other trimmed hats; ribbon or flower trimmed.

Choice of Any Red or Old Rose Colored Hat

—regardless of the former selling price will also be offered at this Friday price.

—Third floor.

The Anniversary Sale Offers Friday
\$15, \$16.50, \$19.75 Spring Suits

at **\$9.75**

Women's and Misses' Sizes

We have grouped for Saturday's selling 225 splendid Suits from our regular stocks to sell at this wonderfully low price Friday.

It is without question the greatest lot of good Suits ever offered at less than \$10 and the values will win instant approval. The styles are all new and up to now, and

There is a good showing of Navy Blue Popular Checks, Serge, Poplin and Novelty Cloths.

Various models having the new collars, new sleeves, latest skirt ideas and newest trimming motifs.

—Third floor.

Women's 75c Undermuslins, 29c
Some of the best news of the Anniversary Sale is this bit of muslin wear news. In this lot are Gowns, Corset Covers, Skirts and Drawers, all splendidly made and tastefully trimmed with laces and embroideries; per garment..... **29c**

Women's 39c Undermuslins, 19c
Corset Covers and Drawers of soft-finish nainsook, trimmed with laces, embroideries and ribbon-run beading; Friday special, the garment..... **19c**

Children's 75c to \$1 Dresses
Splendid quality percale and ging-ham dresses for girls from 4 to 10 years, wide range of styles and colors, choice Friday..... **29c**

Infants' Up to 48c Caps
A miscellaneous lot of infants' caps from the regular stocks that have become slightly soiled through display, while 4 dozen last, choice..... **10c**
—Second floor.

\$5 Colored Kid Pumps
at **\$3.45**

Anniversary footwear items of intense interest to women, offering these splendid Pumps from our own stock. There are gray and champagne kid, white nubuck, mat kid and patent; all sizes.

Women's \$4 and \$5 Pumps at \$1.89
Clever Spring patterns from T. R. Emerson Co. of New York City, a foremost footwear jobber and including white kid with patent collar, patent or mat kid as well as light-weight gun metal with white collar. All sizes..... **\$1.89**
—Second floor.

Room Lot Sale of Wall Papers
2500 rolls on sale at a saving of one-third or more with 6 bargains in room lot quantities. Enough wall, borders and ceiling papers in each lot to cover room 12x14x9 ft.

LOT 1—Papers suitable for attic rooms; room lot, all complete..... 59c

LOT 2—Kitchen blocks and bathroom and storeroom lot, all complete..... 90c

LOT 3—Good dark colored Papers, with 9 and 18-inch borders; desirable for most any room; room lot, all complete..... \$1.79

We furnish first-class Paperhangers. Prompt service.
—Fourth floor.

\$1 to \$7.50 Pair Lace Curtains, 29c to 98c Ea
1000 Curtains, including such styles as Irish Point, hand-made Cluny, Marquisette with Cluny insertions and hand-drawn borders, also many other styles; several to match; all full length; \$1 to \$7.50 pair grades, at, each

29c 49c 69c and 98c
—Main floor square.

\$37.50 Seamless Axminsters
Best quality Sanford's Seamless Axminsters, 9x12 size Rugs with heavy pile and closely woven, in pretty Oriental and Floral designs..... **\$29.75**

\$12 Tapestry Brussels
Just 35 in the lot. Tapestry Brussels Rugs, 9x12 ft. size—while limited quantity lasts at..... **\$8.95**

35c Deltex and 25c Crex Rugs, 25c
18x36-inch Deltex and Crex Rugs, in such colors as blue, brown, red and green, with plain centers and neat Grecian and scroll borders, while they last.

\$2.50 Fiber Rugs, \$1.50
36x72-inch size Fiber Rugs, in pretty Grecian and stenciled borders on tan grounds, for porch and bedroom use.
—Fourth floor.

20c Printed Curtain Voiles, 10c Yd.
Remnants of beautiful Curtain Voiles in lengths to 10 yards.

35c Penjab Drapery, 17c Yd.
Mercerized Penjab Drapery material, in beautiful color combinations, from 8 to 6 yards.

19c and 25c Voiles, 10c Yd.
36 pieces of Curtain Voiles for any room in the house; white, cream and Arabian.
—Fourth floor.

12 1/2c Dress Gingham
Utility Dress Gingham in checks, stripes or plaids, also solid pink or blue; Anniversary Sale Price; yard..... **7 1/2c**
—Main floor.

11c Lonsdale Muslin
Genuine Lonsdale Muslin with original mill mark; light of 16 yards to a customer, and no orders filled; yard..... **7 1/2c**
—Main floor.

"Watch the Lindell"
THE LINDELL STORE
We Sell Standard Patterns | Washington, Eighth and St. Charles

\$1.45 and \$1.75 Chiffon Taffeta, \$1.25

Beautiful new Taffetas, 36 inches wide, pure dye, rich finish, in a complete range of this season's most popular street and evening shades; plenty of navy and other blues.
—Main floor.

29c Sheeting
2-4 Bleached Sheet-ing, of good quality linen finish; while a limited quantity lasts, yard..... **15c**
—Main floor.

Women's 18c Stockings
Mercerized cotton, medium weight, high spliced heels and double toes and soles, double garter tops, black and white; all sizes 8 1/2 to 10, at..... **10c**
—Main floor.

Women's 15c & 18c Vests
Fine ribbed with mercerized taped neck, V shape; come in extra sizes and out extra full and long; each..... **10c**
—Main floor.

Women's 25c Union Suits
Mercerized taped neck lace and tight knees; regular and extra sizes; 34 to 44, at..... **15c**
—Main floor.

50c and 65c Union Suits
Women's lace and tight knee styles, lisle and mercerized cotton; come in various styles and sizes, 34 to 44, at..... **33c**
—Main floor.

Children's 18c Stockings
Fine combed yarn, double heels and toes and very elastic, black and white and navy; sizes 5 to 9 1/2; pair..... **12 1/2c**
—Main floor.

\$1.95 Skinner's Taffeta
36-inch Chiffon Taffetas, the genuine Skinner's, with guaranteed woven or selvage, in navy or black; while 275 yards last, Friday, priced yard..... **\$1.55**
—Main floor.

25c White Pique
Short lengths of 2 to 10 yards, in two different width wailes; Anniversary Sale Price, yard..... **15c**
—Main floor.

25c Voiles, 12 1/2c Yard
Plain white voiles and marquisettes, 40 inches wide, exceptionally fine quality; several thousand yds. to offer, yard..... **12 1/2c**
—Main floor.

\$1 Linen Damask, 69c
Pure Irish Linen Damask, full Bleached, 67 inches wide; heavy quality; effective patterns; yard..... **69c**
—Main floor.

10c Gingham
Plain and fancy stripes, checks and plaids; fast colors; also Aprons; apron checks (no mail or phone orders); per yard..... **6c**
—Main floor.

35c Colored Seed Voiles
38-inch light and dark grounds, Seed Voiles, in beautiful floral patterns; in all the new 1916 Spring shades; yard..... **23c**
—Main floor.

75c Dozen Napkins
15-inch size Mercerized Napkins; good weight and large assortment of patterns, for selection in half-dozen lots..... **6 for 24c**
—Main floor.

ACTOR'S WIFE IN DRUG RAID

Woman and Three Others Arrested for Having Narcotics.
NEW YORK, May 4.—Mrs. Roberts Menzies-Corwin-Hill-Tearle, if her various husbands are to be mentioned, who recently asked the courts for a divorce from Conway Tearle, an actor, was arrested yesterday afternoon in a raid made by the police on an apartment house in which they made three other prisoners, all on the charge of having narcotics in their possession.

When Mrs. Tearle discovered that her maid had admitted detectives to her apartment she is said to have become hysterical and to have tried

to empty the contents of a bottle. The detectives said she drew a \$2000 diamond ring from her finger and offered it to them to release her.

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Vice Campaign in Kansas City.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 4.—The underworld must move out—now and for good. This was the peremptory order of the Board of Police Commissioners, unanimously approved, at its meeting last night. The board ordered that all women of the streets who loiter after nightfall be arrested; that their places of rendezvous be sought out and closed; that all disorderly houses be closed.

ART SACRIFICED BY GODOWSKY TO PARADE TECHNIQUE

Polish Pianist Plays Chopin's Etude With One Hand to Dazzle Audience.

By RICHARD L. STOKES.
EOPOLD GODOWSKY, the Polish pianist, has for a long time labored under the handicap of being reckoned as a musical pedagogue rather than an artist, a virtuoso of technique more than a master of interpretation. This impression was due in part to his celebrity as an editor of exercises for piano students, and it was not much lessened by his first appearance in this city, a few years ago, as soloist with the Symphony Orchestra. But his concert at the Odeon last night, marking his advent here in recital, went far towards dispelling this prejudice, and revealed that if he is not one of the most soulful, he is certainly one of the most artistic pianists now before the public.

Yet the technician will out, as was shown, in a program otherwise irreproachable for its beauty, by the intrusion of an instance of doubtful taste of which one likes to think no other pianist of equal rank would have been capable. At the conclusion of a group of Chopin compositions, played with a delicacy and grace of poetic feeling that literally enchanted his hearers, Godowsky was summoned by fervid applause to grant an encore.

Parading His Technique.
He responded—with an arrangement of his own for the left hand alone of Chopin's Etude in A flat. Now, music for one hand may be a heroic feat in a Count Gessa Zichy, who made himself into a concert pianist after losing his right arm; but in a performer with two competent hands, it can be nothing but ostentation, a gratuitous parade of one's technique. It cannot be said that the rearrangement of the composition added to its artistic value, but rather the contrary; it was turned into a show-piece of the most flagrant kind, into an exploit of physical dexterity worthy of the circus. Had Godowsky played the Etude as it was written, the result would have been delight in the beauty of his art; as it was, the effect was one of vulgar wonder at the amazing suppleness and dizzy speed of his left hand.

But the fact that this incident was irritating to many is a tribute to the high standard of the remainder of the program. If Godowsky lacks the physical vigor which makes Paderewski and Busoni such dramatic interpreters of Liszt, if his power was not altogether equal to the possibilities of Schubert's "Marche Militaire," he proved himself a keen interpreter of Schumann and an extraordinary player of Chopin.

It has been said that there are as many "Chopin traditions" as there are performers of his works, and Godowsky brought to them a point of view in some respects refreshing. Here was no trace of the morbid Chopin of whom it was said that he was "a talent of the sick chamber," and concerning whom Berlioz sneered, on hearing of his death, that "he died all his life." Instead, there was gaiety of mood, poetry in its most exquisite vein, and virility. Here, too, was magic of touch, ranging from a murmurous pianissimo, fairy-like in the goosamer delicacy of its fabric, to the fiery manliness of energy. The Chopin numbers were the Fantasia in F minor, the Berceuse—a miracle of almost inaudible sounds which nevertheless filled the auditorium—the Ballade in G minor, the Sixth and Eleventh Etudes, and the waltzes in C sharp minor and A flat.

Wide Scope of Program.
The program began with Schumann's suite, "Carnaval," so vividly painted that the characters of the sketches—Pierrot, Harlequin, Columbine, Pantalone and the rest—seemed to pass in procession across the stage. Enjoyably performed were several minor pieces, including two "Songs Without Words," by Mendelssohn, a "Berceuse" by Henselt, and "En Autunno," by Moszkowsky. Liszt's "Concert Study" in F minor and his "Campanella" were beautifully, if not powerfully, done.

Considering that the concert came late in the season and that it had no long advertisement, the audience was unexpectedly large. It was one of the most musical gatherings seen at the Odeon this year, being made up largely of piano teachers and students, a considerable proportion of them personally familiar with every number the soloist played. Their applause was warmly enthusiastic, so that three encores were given, one of them Chopin's "Waltz in G-flat" at the end of the program. The others were the left-hand "Etude" and Liszt's "Gnomes." With the one exception noted, the concert was unflaggingly enjoyable, so that its more than two hours of length seemed a fourth of that time.

FEDERAL FILM CENSOR BILL

House Committee Agrees on Measure Providing Penalties.
WASHINGTON, May 4.—A bill to create a National Board of Censors to pass on all foreign and domestic moving picture films shown in this country and to prevent the importation and interstate shipment of immoral pictures has been agreed upon by the House Education Committee.

The measure would provide for a board of five members, and a large number of deputy censors to be located in the larger cities of the country. Shippers of improper films would be subjected to fine ranging upward to \$1000.

Circus, Don't Miss It.
Interesting, educational, entertaining. Here only two days more. But collect the animals wrapped with each leaf of McKinney's Butternut Bread each day and you will give your children a permanent circus. Ask your grocer.

Garland's ANNOUNCING FOR FRIDAY A SPECIAL Purchase and Sale of New Suits

The purchase was made 10 days ago. Should have been here to go on sale last Monday, but through some faulty shipping instructions, were shipped by freight instead of Express. Just reached us today—on sale tomorrow.

\$20, \$22.50 and \$25 Suits for

\$10

We regard it as much our duty to an appreciative public to bring style and quality within the circle of popular price as that the models shall properly portray the correct, prevailing fashion ideas. That's why we are always on the alert for values out of the ordinary—and why our popular price Suits have those smart style touches which one instinctively associates with high-priced Suits.



The five Suits pictured above are from this \$10 purchase lot. There are 25 other styles at the same price. There are 300 Suits altogether. There are sizes for misses, 14 to 20, and women 34 to 44 bust.

Materials include such popular fabrics as gabardine, wool poplin, serge, checks, and a few silks. The colors include navy, tan, gray, brown, green, rookier and black. There are tailored, semi-fancy and novelty trimmed styles. All at the one price, \$10.00.

A Sale of Coats

\$15 and \$18 Coats for

\$10

Just 178 Coats given this special good "bye price." White Chinchillas are included. White and white with shadow overlaid. Checks, plaids, mixtures, serges and gabardines, wool poplins, in navy and black. A wide range of styles, and all sizes.



\$10 Golfine Coats

\$3.98

Only 53 of these, and we don't want to see such short lots hanging on. Colors are Copen, navy, gold, amber and white. White collar and cuffs on the colors, and colored collar and cuffs on the whites. All sizes.

Girls' Coats Reduced (6 to 16)

About 300 Children's Coats are still here. We have divided them into three groups for a speedy Friday clear-away.

LOT 1—Coats Priced Heretofore Up to \$6.98 Reduced to

\$2.50

(6 to 12 Years)

Fine pin checks, covers, serges and golfines, in rose, white, Copen, and tan—balmacan, sport and flare styles. (6 to 12 years.)

LOT 2—Girls' Coats, Priced Heretofore Up to \$10, Reduced to

\$5.00

Every girl that has waited should take advantage of this liberal offer. Balance of our fine Dressy Coats for girls that formerly sold up to \$10.00 in one lot to close out—checks, serges, granites, silks, gabardines, etc.; all colors and styles. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

LOT 3—Girls' Coats, Values to \$37.50, Reduced to

\$10

Every Coat in our entire stock of silk, cloth, crepe de chine, etc., that formerly sold from \$15 to \$37.50, will be offered in one lot to close out—navy, light blue, white, rose, green silks; navy, green and tan gabardines; sizes 6 to 16 years.

Garland's May Sale of Undermuslins—Corsets Children's and Infants' Wear

Friday, this May Sale will start in with renewed interest. All lines have been replenished by new arrivals. Every stock is teeming with attractive values. We mention a few specials below:



Ladies' Crepe de Chine and Wash Satin Corset Covers and Camisoles

A great assortment, in white or flesh color. All sizes.
Value up to \$1.50.....98c
Value up to \$2.50.....\$1.49
Value up to \$3.50.....\$1.98

Teddy Bears—Crepe de chine and wash satin Teddy Bears, in flesh and white. All sizes.
Values up to \$3.00, May Sale Price.....\$1.98
Values up to \$5.00, May Sale Price.....\$2.98

Gowns—Crepe de chine, in flesh and white, trimmed in Val. lace. Value, \$4.00, May Sale price.....\$2.98

Special lot of Corset Covers. Value 35c; May Sale Price.....25c

Ladies' Nainsook Corset Covers—About ten beautiful styles in the lot, all trimmed in dainty laces, embroidery and ribbons. 75c values, May Sale Price.....49c

Ladies' 75c Muslin and Nainsook Gowns—In high neck and all-over effects. May Sale price.....44c

Ladies' Gowns, Teddy Bears, Corset Covers, Combinations and Skirts—Of fine nainsook, cambric, in white or flesh color, a great assortment of styles and trimmings:
75c Undermuslin, May Sale Price.....49c
\$1.00 Undermuslins, May Sale Price.....75c
\$1.50 Undermuslins, May Sale Price.....98c
\$2.00 Undermuslins, May Sale Price.....\$1.49
\$3.00 Undermuslins, May Sale Price.....\$1.98
\$4 and \$5 Undermuslins, May Sale Price.....\$2.98

Crepe de Chine Negligees—In pink, blue, corn, lavender Copenhagen and rose. Values up to \$7.50, May Sale Price.....\$4.98

Children's 2 to 14 Years Princess Slips, Gowns, Combinations, Drawers and Petticoats. Values 75c and \$1.00, May Sale Price.....49c

Women's Bungalow Aprons—In pink and blue stripes. 65c value, May Sale Price.....49c

Children's Wash Dresses—Of pretty gingham, percales, in plain colors and plaids or stripes; sizes 2 to 6 years. 75c Dresses, May Sale Price.....47c

Boys' Wash Suits—In white and colored; sizes 2 to 6 years. Values up to \$2.00, May Sale Price.....98c

Boys' and Girls' Rompers—Sizes 6 months to 6 years. Values up to 75c, May Sale Price.....39c

Infants' Nainsook Gowns and Slips. Values 50c and 65c May Sale Price.....39c

Infants' Long 6 Months to 2 Years Dresses—Of fine nainsook, slightly soiled. Values up to \$2.50, May Sale Price.....98c

Lots of Corsets—Broken sizes, but a good assortment. Values up to \$4.00. Your choice, May Sale Price.....\$1.00

Children's Coats (1 to 6)

75 Coats formerly priced up to \$18.00. Including silks, crepe de chine, poplins, checks, velour cloths, etc. All reduced for quick clearance. Priced in 2 lots,

\$3.69 and \$6.89

Mail Orders Filled

THOMAS W. GARLAND—409-11-13 BROADWAY

Mail Orders Filled

Williams Sixth and Franklin

"Our Location Saves You Money"

We Give Eagle Stamps

These handsome Shoes will fit the foot perfectly, and our expert fitting service will spare no pains in pleasing you.

\$5.00 White Kid Boots \$3.85 \$4.50 Two-Tone Effects... \$3.45

EXTRA VALUES
White Reign Cloth... \$3.00
Bronze Kid.....
Dull Mat Kid.....

9-in. Models—Heels to Match.



"Sport Shoes"

Popular Spring Footwear for young ladies.

White Reign cloth, white buck trimmed..... \$3.00

WHITE SPORT OXFORDS
White Trimmed... \$1.59
Tan Trimmed...
Green Trimmed...
Black Trimmed...



"Ladies' Strap Pumps"

Patent, dull and white reign skin canvas.

Spat Pumps, Paris Pumps, Cupid Pumps, Colonial Pumps, Also cross strap and 2-bar fancy straps. Price... \$2.65



"Ladies' Strap Pumps"

A New Spring Design

IVORY KID, WHITE KID, GRAY KID, BRONZE KID, WHITE BUCK. Perfect fitting and stylish. \$4.00 values. Price \$3.00



"Mary Jane Pumps"

FOR CHILDREN Patent or dull leather, and white canvas.

Infants', Patent and Canvas... 89c
Children's, 2 to 8... 98c
Child's, 8 1/2 to 11... \$1.29
Misses', 11 1/2 to 2... \$1.39
Growing Girls', 2 1/2 to 6... \$1.79



"Baby Doll" Shoes

Tip or Plain Toe Patent or gummetal button, cloth or kid top.

Child's, 3 to 8... 98c
Child's, 8 1/2 to 11... \$1.49
Misses', 11 1/2 to 2... \$1.69
Growing Girls', 2 1/2 to 6... \$2.25



"Roman Sandals"

NOTHING NICER FOR CHILDREN PATENT, DULL KID TOPS

Misses', 11 1/2 to 2... \$1.79
Child's, 8 1/2 to 11... \$1.49
Child's, 3 to 8... \$1.25



"White Top Shoes"

Children's patent leather, tipped, white canvas top Button Shoes.

Misses', 11 1/2 to 2... \$1.79
Child's, 8 1/2 to 11... \$1.59
Children's, 3 to 8; white calf top... \$1.25
Infants', No heel; 1 to 5... 98c



Boys' "English" Shoes

New Spring style for boys. Black calf on nobby English last; special sale.

Sizes 1 to 5 1/2
\$2.50
English Oxfords... \$2.50



Our "Special" Shoes

The greatest value ever offered at these prices.

Gummetal, Button, with solid oak soles.
Boys' Sizes 1 to 6... \$1.75
Little Men's 10 to 13 1/2... \$1.39



"Elk-Sole" Shoes

FOR MEN The most durable lightweight work shoe for men and the best wearing everyday shoe for boys manufactured. Made specially for us of soft "CHROME" leather uppers and waterproof soles. Black or Tan.

MEN'S, \$2.00
Boys' 1 to 6... \$1.75
Little Men's, 9 to 13 1/2... \$1.50



The Best Food For Growing Kiddies

Faust Spaghetti doesn't tax the delicate little stomachs of growing children like meats. It is easily digested and almost all of it goes into blood and tissue. Kiddies all like it, too. Faust Spaghetti, fed to children two or three times a week, will build them the foundation for long, happy lives. Write for free recipe book.

Your grocer sells Faust Spaghetti MAULL BROS., St. Louis, U. S. A.



WATERPOWER BILL IS INDORSED

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The National Conservation Congress yesterday voted, 116 to 39, to recommend legislation which allows the Government to grant waterpower sites to private interests.

The minority of delegates today were much disappointed over loss of their fight led vainly by Gifford Pinchot, to prevent endorsement of the shields bill, pending in Congress.

BASEMENT BARGAINS



SUITS

Handsome models of velvet and checks, positive \$15 to \$25 values.

\$7.50

Silk Dresses

Beautiful frocks in many charming styles, black and colors—\$15 values in every way, special \$6.95

COATS

Of checks, serges and golfines—large variety—genuine \$10 values.

\$5.00

Golfing Skirts

In white, old rose, blue and sand—just the thing for outdoor sports—\$5 values.

\$2.50

ACKERMANS
BROADWAY ST. LOUIS

ETHICAL SOCIETY
TO CELEBRATE ITS
30TH ANNIVERSARY

Conference Here Saturday Will Discuss "Ethical Instruction and Moral Education."

The Ethical Society of St. Louis will celebrate its thirtieth anniversary Saturday with a conference on "Ethical Instruction and Moral Education." Eight days later a nine-days' congress to mark the fortieth anniversary of the Ethical Culture movement in America will begin in New York.

The question of the place of ethical instruction in the public school will be discussed at the local meeting, which will be held at Sheldon Memorial, 366 Washington boulevard. Opinions have differed on this question. At present it is under consideration by the committee of the Board of Education, which has in charge the revision of the course of study.

The morning program, devoted entirely to the question of ethical instruction in schools, follows: "Is Ethics as the Science of Conduct Entitled to a Place in the Elementary School Curriculum?" J. J. Maddox, principal of the Wyman School and chairman of the committee for the Revision of the Study in Ethics; "Is Ethics a Science? The Distinction between Personal and Impersonal Thinking," the Rev. George R. Dodson, pastor of the Second Baptist Church; Mrs. Fanny L. Lechman, of the Harris Teachers' College; Rabbi Samuel Sale and Miss Mabel Stillman.

The afternoon session will be devoted to a discussion of the responsibility and co-operation of school, home and Sunday school. The speakers will be Dr. E. George Payne of the Harris Teachers' College; the Rev. W. C. Bittling, pastor of the Second Baptist Church; Mrs. Fanny L. Lechman, of the Harris Teachers' College; Rabbi Samuel Sale and Miss Mabel Stillman.

The New York congress will be a national meeting and representatives from the Ethical Societies of St. Louis, Chicago, Brooklyn, Philadelphia and other cities will be there. These societies are banded together in the American Ethical Union. One of the principal addresses at this meeting will be that of Dr. Felix Adler on "The History of the Society and the Ethical Movement." The second day will include an inspection of the Ethical Culture School, which has 70 students, and a conference on child study. Special steps have been set apart to consider women's interests, settlement work and methods of teaching ethics.

Busy Bee Bakery Special This Week.
Delicious Breakfast Buns, 15c dozen.

STARK BROS. SUE W. P. STARK,
ALLEGING UNFAIR COMPETITION

Nursery Men of Louisiana, Mo., Ask for Advertising Injunction Against Firm in Neosho.

LOUISIANA, Mo., May 4.—A bill has been filed in the Court of Common Pleas here by Stark Bros. Nursery and Orchards Co. against the William P. Stark Nurseries of Neosho, asking that they be restrained from using alleged unfair methods of competition, misleading advertising and use of certain trademarks. It also is asked that a referee be named to hear the case in the St. Louis Court of Appeals.

Stark Bros. state that W. P. Stark, while still in the employ of Stark Bros. company, attempted to build up a new business started by his son at the expense of the Stark Bros. company, and that W. P. Stark remained with the Stark Bros. company for some months after his son's new nursery was started in order to secure information which would be to the benefit of his and his son's new nursery company.

The Stark Bros. company asks the Court to enjoin William P. Stark and William H. Stark from advertising their name in such a manner as to lead the buying public to believe that they are the Starks of Louisiana, Mo.

La Salle Friday Bargains.
Our delicious Vanilla and Maple Pecan Cakes, 4c grade, 3c lb.

CANADA ASKED TO TAKE OVER
GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC LINE

Government Declines, but Advances \$5,000,000 to Pay Road's Debt Interest, and Orders an Inquiry.

OTTAWA, May 4.—Correspondence laid before the Canadian Parliament last night showed that a demand has been made by the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway that the Canadian Government take over the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway from Winnipeg to the Pacific Coast at Prince Rupert.

The idea was to develop a complete transcontinental system, the Canadian Government building from the Atlantic to Winnipeg, a line to be leased to the Grand Trunk Pacific company, which was to be built from Winnipeg to the Pacific. The company declined to take over the Eastern section and correspondence read showed that Dec. 10 it asked the Government to take over the western section as well. In his letter, Chairman Smithers of the Grand Trunk said that advances by the Grand Trunk to the Grand Trunk Pacific totaled \$26,179,728, and notes covering the advance amounted to only \$24,234,016.

The Canadian Government declined to take the system and thus relieve the Grand Trunk of its obligation. Instead, it has provided a loan of \$5,000,000 to pay the interest on the bonded obligations and ordered an investigation into the affairs of the company.

K. of C. Choral Club, Odessa, Tonight.

NOW AT SIXTH & WASHINGTON

\$15 Half-Borchet Dress Forms
This 14-section Form delivered to your home at down and payments as low as \$1 per week; specially priced for this day only, \$2.50. (Main Floor)

FAIRY SOAP 40c HAND BAGS
For toilet and bath; limit amount of six bars to a customer (Main Floor) 6 for 19c
Hand Bags of real leather, with mirror and purses; special 25c

PEARL BEADS 75c LEATHER BELTS
Latest styles in 27-inch Graduate Pearl Beads; Friday only 29c
With white edge trimming and black buckle; each 43c

All Brands
Sewing
Machines
75c a Week

BIG BOOSTERS SALE

\$20 TAFFETA SUITS



A WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY
To select a suit from this lot, of either silk or wool material, that were formerly priced as high as \$20 and \$25. Suits of heavy taffetas in black and navy, and the newest and smartest styles, and the Wool Suits include belted, tailored and flared models. In all sizes for misses and women; on sale Friday at....

\$20.00 DRESSES

You'll have to see these beautiful Dresses to really appreciate the extraordinary value. Materials include chiffon, taffetas, crepe metors and crepe de chine. Some with Georgette crepe sleeves, others with smocking and ribbon and velvet trimmings; all the newest spring colors, and all sizes for women and misses; on sale Friday at....

\$9.95

\$2 TUB WAISTS, \$1.00

\$1.00 Voile Waists
Many smart styles to select from—voiles, Jap Silks and organdies, in beautiful stripes and plain white; large flat collars, long sleeves, new large organdie frills; colors: Nile, rose, flesh, blue and maize; sizes 36 to 46; most wonderful values ever offered for....



Made of excellent quality Tub Silk and Washable Satin, in white and colors; also stripes in all colors and checks; colors: rose, green, brown, blue, tan and rainbow stripes, set off with buttons and bias piping; others plain tailored; sizes 36 to 46; Friday's price.....

Girls' Tub Dresses
In rep, gingham and lince; two-color combination, middle and jumper styles, pique collar and cuffs, pleated or gored skirt; sizes 6 to 14 (Second Floor)....

Girls' Middle Blouses
Made of galatee cloth, sailor collars of plain white; navy or red braid trimmed; laced front; fold on bottom; all sizes (Second Floor)....

Money-Savers on Our Main Floor

Women's Pink Union Suits

Women's 50c Lisle Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, with lace and cuff knee in pink or white; sizes from 34 to 38; specially priced at this sale (Main Floor).....



Boys' Union Suits
Boys' Union Suits, short sleeves; knee length; nice fit; rib; special (Main Floor).....

Women's 15c and 10c Vests
Women's Vests, low neck; sleeveless; nicely taped at neck and arms; special (Main Floor).....

Infants' 15c Vests
Infants' 15c Vests of nice fine rib; either short or long sleeves; special for Thursday (Main Floor).....

Italian Silk Vests
Women's Italian Silk Vests; made with ribbon strap over shoulders; come in pink or white; special for Thursday (Main Floor).....

\$1 SILK-FRONT SHIRTS

These are recognized as the best \$1.00 Shirts of this kind made. They come with French cuffs, neckband; in a large assortment of snappy live patterns; the bodies are matched with a very good grade percale; all sizes in this lot; at.....



Men's Union Suits
Men's fine cotton Suits in white and navy; short sleeves and no sleeves; knee and ankle length (Main Floor).....

40c Blue Work Shirts
Men's 40c blue work Shirts; cut good and full; they come in the full assortment of sizes.....

Boys' 25c Caps
Boys' 25c Golf Caps, in a neat assortment of neat patterns; this lot is very special (Main Floor).....

50c and 75c SHIRTS
We are going to clean up 35 dozen men's 50c and 75c Shirts, neat style in all sizes, neat stripe effects. While this lot lasts they go at (Main Floor).....

Men's 25c Silk Hose

Come in black, white, Palm Beach, gray, and navy. Very special (Main Floor).....

Men's 15c Sox
A fine silk lisle; high-applique heel and toe; come in black, tan, white, Palm Beach and gray (Main Floor).....

Women's 25c Silk Hose
Double soles, high-applique heels; double garter tops; in black and white, also all colors; slightly irregular, but will not harm the wearing quality; special for Friday's selling only (2 pr. 25c) pair.....

Women's 15c Lisle Hose
Doubly applied throughout; double garter tops; black and white; all sizes 8 1/2 to 10 (Main Floor).....

75c Umbrellas
A very good mercerized cotton, with paragon frame; come in black only (Main Floor).....

50c P. & F. Suspenders
A good durable webbing; strong calf-skin ends; in all stripes and colors (Main Floor).....

50c SILK GLOVES
Women's short Silk Gloves, double tips, two-clasp at wrist (Main Floor).....

25c P. & F. Suspenders
A good durable webbing; strong calf-skin ends; in all stripes and colors (Main Floor).....

36-inch Wash Silk
In pearl gray and canary; suitable for dresses and waists; a bargain at, per yard.....

36-inch SPORT STRIPE SUITING
Black on white and black; green and navy stripes on tan (Main Floor).....

ODDMENTS OF WASH GOODS
24 to 36 inches wide Gabardines, Serges, Oxfords, Mercerized Pongees, Solitaires, Fongoes, Satenes, Crepe Voiles, etc. (Main Fl.), yd.....

25c WHITE POPLINS & PONGEE
1500 yards of White Pongee and Poplins; 27 and 36 inches wide; 1 to 6 yard lengths; per yard (Main Floor).....

25c WHITE CREPE VOILE
Extra Special—45-in. white Crepe Voiles; very soft and clingy; used for waists, dresses and curtains; yard.....

\$1.00 BEDSPREAD
Snow-white honeycomb hemmed Bedspreads; large size; until sold; at (Main Floor).....

\$1.50 ALL-WOOL SERGE
54 inches wide; navy blue and black; serge; short lengths; 1 to 4 yards; suitable for skirts; special for Friday only.....

1-inch Thick Screen Doors, 98c
Full Doors, 1 1/2 in. thick, \$1.98

Hexagon Fringed GAS LIGHT, 36c
\$1 Fringed Gas Light, complete with gas pipe, ready for use 36c

25c High-Grade Garden Hose
50-ft. length; 1/2 inch coupling; \$2.49

25c High-Grade Lawn Mower
50-in. wide; 1/2 inch coupling; \$3.98

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Booster Items

No mail or phone orders filled on these items.

Girls' Dresses
Of large plain gingham, trimmed with piping; colors, pink or blue; sizes 4 to 14 (Second Floor).....

Girls' Middies
Made of white linen, large sailor collars; braid trimmed (Second Floor).....

\$1.50 Stiff Hats
In 4 different blues; just the best shape; black only, in all sizes (Main Floor).....

J. P. Conks' Thread
Best size - cord Thread, in all numbers; black and white; special (Main Floor).....

25c Hand Bags
A good serviceable Bag; come in two styles of leather; \$2.50 in 1 for this day only (Main Floor).....

White Kid Pumps
Kid covered heel; regular \$3 value; all sizes (Main Floor).....

Child's Dresses
Neatly made, belted styles; embroidered in good contrasting colors; special.....

75c House Dresses
Made of light and dark percales, in checks and stripes; neatly trimmed; all sizes; special (Main Floor).....

Union Suits
Women's fine rib Union Suits; low neck, sleeveless, lace knee, taped at this sale (Main Fl.).....

Brussels Rugs
An unusually good bargain; \$12.50 Oriental, floral, medallion and Persian designs.....

12c Gingham
Amoskeag Dress Gingham, in all choice patterns, in remnants only; limited amount; a customer, no phone or mail orders filled; per yard (Basement).....

15c Voile
48-inch White Voile; fine chiffon finish; in short lengths; lace phone or mail orders filled; per yard (Basement); limited amount.....

Boys' 30c Waists
Made of light striped percale and dark madras; sizes to 24; a customer; special (Basement).....

Men's Underwear
25c Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; all sorted sizes; no phone or mail orders; special; Friday (Basement).....

\$2 Hat Shapes
Flat or rolling brims, including turbans; in black and large sizes; Hats Trimmed Free.....

60c Silk Poplin
Our 60c Poplins, in all the wanted colors; Friday, a special; a Booster per yard.....

10c Longcloth
36-inch wide English Longcloth; soft woven Chambray; special; yard (Main Floor).....

Clark's Crochet
Mercerized, white or ecru; a special lot for Friday's selling (Main Floor).....

25c Corset Covers
Lace and embroidery trimmed; all sizes; to customer; special (Basement).....

39c LACE CURTAINS
Lace Curtain Strips, 3 yards long, in white and ecru; slightly imperfect; each (Basement).....

Boys' \$2 Shoes
Boxed calfskin; Blucher style; a good school shoe; all sizes to 2 (Basement).....

\$2.50 Mohair Skirts
Beautiful navy and black Women's and Misses' Skirts; neatly made with patch pockets; assorted sizes (Basement).....

Children's Drawers
Children 12 1/2c Drawers; special value; 2 to customer (Basement).....

20c Corset Covers
Lace and embroidery trimmed; all sizes; to customer; special (Basement).....

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MILLINERY BARGAINS



White Hemp Hats
Sailors and Colonials, \$1.50 Values,

83c

Children's Hats
Fifteen clever trimmed styles to select from—the best values in town for.....

\$1.00

Leghorn Hats
All the rage—actual \$3 values

\$1.95

All Trimmed Hats
1/2 Price

FRIDAY'S the last day, so be on hand to share in this wonderful money-saving sale.

Special From 9 to 1 P. M.

100 Dozen Hats

25c

\$1 to \$1.50 values—Splendid untrimmed styles of hemp and fancy braids. At our remarkably low price they'll sell in a hurry.

ACKERMANS
BROADWAY ST. LOUIS

\$6 Felt Mattress

As a booster for our Furniture Department we will offer tomorrow only, this high-grade Felt Mattress at such a low price (4 lbs.; biscuit tufted, art floral ticking; any size made to order for only.....

10c to 12 1/2c SCRIM
Plain, hemstitched and colored border, white, cream and ecru; special (Third Floor).....

Friday Bargains in Wall Paper
LOT 1—Large assortment of patterns, with borders and ceiling to match; worth up to 7c; Friday.....

15c to \$2 Lace Curtains
Nottingham, madras, hemstitched Scrim and Novelty Nets, cream, white and Arabian; 2 1/2 to 3 yards long; (Third Floor).....

10c to 12 1/2c SCRIM
Plain, hemstitched and colored border, white, cream and ecru; special (Third Floor).....

Friday Bargains in Wall Paper
LOT 2—Extra values in paper suitable for any room in the house; some in two-tone effect and golds; borders to match; worth up to 20c; Friday.....

60c LINOLEUM
We sell Linoleum at the lowest prices in St. Louis and save our customers a small fortune every year. We do it by buying at the lowest prices in carload lots. Two new carloads just arrived finds us with a fairly heavy stock already on hand, so we decided to use extreme low prices in order to make a quick disposal. Note this bargain—60c Linoleum, extra heavy grade, splendid enamel surface; block, hardwood, tile, matting and Mosaic patterns; light or dark colors; extra, yard.....

\$1 and \$1.50 Inlaid Linoleum
Unusual bargains, choice of pretty patterns; clear through to the back; square yard.....

75c STAIR CARPET
A complete selection of beautiful designs and colors; one day only, yard.....

\$9.50 CONGOLEUM RUGS
\$12 beautiful Oriental and allover designs; only one to a customer.....

1-inch Thick Screen Doors, 98c

Full Doors, 1 1/2 in. thick, \$1.98

25c High-Grade Garden Hose
50-ft. length; 1/2 inch coupling; \$2.49

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Full Doors, 1 1/2 in. thick, \$1.98

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610-612 Washington Ave.

Friday Specials That Speak for Themselves



185 Trimmed Hats

All colors and black; every one clean and desirable. Specially priced for quick clearance. **\$2**

Dress Shapes

95c

A splendid assortment of styles and materials, including a few Leghorns. Plenty of blacks and whites. They should bring a great deal more money.

Ostrich Plumes

30 dozen stunning ostrich plumes in black, white and colors. Specially priced for quick clearance. **\$1.19**

"Cane Seat" Hats

50c

The popular Spring and Summer hat. Black and all colors. Friday only at 50c.

Sport Hats

95c

Up to 50c Flowers,

15c

Thousands of flowers of every kind and description; every flower fresh and perfect. A general clean-up Friday of values to 50c for 15c.



\$3.50 to \$5 Blouses

\$2.50

Handsome Georgette crepes, crepe de chine, pussy willow silks, mermaid silks, handkerchief linens, voiles, organdies, etc.

\$2.50 to \$3 Waists

\$1.50

Striped tub silks, with convertible collars and silk loop fasteners; plain tailored and embroidered crepe de chine; innumerable pretty styles of voiles, organdies, batiste, lawn and linen.

\$1 and \$1.50 Waists

75c

Six hundred Waists of plain and embroidered voiles, batiste, cotton crepe and like materials; colored models with convertible and large collars, some in frilled effect.

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SPEAKERS CALL EXECUTED IRISH REBELS MARTYRS

Deaths Deplored at Meeting Where Gathering for Sunday Night Is Arranged.

About 150 St. Louis men and women of Irish birth or ancestry met last night at Kenrick Hall, Knights of Columbus Building, and mourned as martyrs the leaders of the Dublin rebellion who were executed yesterday, and organized the St. Louis branch of the Friends of Irish Freedom.

Emil Frei, Hans Wulf and John C. Meyers, officers of the American Neutrality League, and W. H. Mendel, a member of that organization, were present. Meyers, by request, was one of the speakers.

Arrangements were made for a mass meeting to be held Sunday night at Hibernian Hall, Grand and Finney avenues, protesting against the execution of the Irish patriots.

Two Priests Among Speakers.
O'Neill Ryan presided as temporary chairman. The speakers, besides himself, were the Rev. Father Francis Gillilan, pastor of the Cathedral Parish; the Rev. Father Timothy Dempsey, pastor of St. Patrick's Church; Charles J. Dolan, Dr. J. J. Kane and Meyers.

Ryan spoke strongly in favor of the revolutionists, commenting feelingly on the execution of the leaders, commending their patriotism and drawing a parallel between their struggles and the struggles of the American patriots of revolutionary times.

The Rev. Father Gillilan spoke in a more conservative vein. He said he feared, from what Ryan had said, that the meeting might take one direction alone. He counseled moderation, so as not to disaffect sympathizers with John Redmond, the Irish parliamentary leader, and Americans of Irish descent who are not in complete sympathy with the revolutionists.

The Rev. Father Dempsey, replying, said: "Thank God, the Kaiser still lives." He said he had a picture of the Kaiser framed in his room. "I put a shamrock on his breast a year ago, last St. Patrick's day," he said, "and it has brought him good luck ever since." He said he wished other countries were out of the struggle, so that Germany and Ireland could deal with the English.

Leaders Highly Praised.
Dolan, who formerly lived in Ireland, told of his association with John Clarke and others of the revolutionary leaders who were executed and of their high qualities.

The Rev. Father P. B. O'Loughlin of Rolla, Mo., who recently made a trip to Ireland, spoke while the Nomination Committee was out.

The following officers were elected: Jeremiah Sheehan, president; Vincent de Paul Dempsey, vice president; Charles J. Dolan, treasurer; James O'Phelan, secretary; Dr. J. J. Kane, O'Neill Ryan, P. J. Moynihan, Edward Devoy, Right Rev. Mgr. P. W. Mallon, John J. Lane and Luke E. Hart, Executive Committee.

Edward Devoy of 5537 Cates avenue, a fuel dealer, today told a Post-Dispatch reporter that he would decline to serve on the Executive Committee of the St. Louis branch of the Friends of the Irish Freedom.

"I am of the third generation of voters in this country," he told the reporter, "but my sympathies have been for home rule in Ireland. I did not favor the Sinn Féin movement. I only pitied the poor fellows who went to their doom by organizing a revolt. But being a steadfast 'home ruler,' I cannot join the 'Friends,' as home rule will soon be granted Ireland. I was surprised that I was placed on that committee, as I had refused to join the organization."

K. of C. Choral Club, Odessa, Tonight.

POLICEMAN SHOTS AT NEGRO FLEEING FROM EMPTY HOUSE

Had Been Watching Place for Return of Men Who Had Cut the Lead Pipe.

A patrolman watching a vacant house at 2042 Laclede avenue, from which all the lead pipe and other plumbing accessories had been cut and piled in the kitchen ready for removal, saw two negroes approach the building yesterday afternoon. One entered the house and jumped from a window when the policeman pursued him. The patrolman fired a shot at the fleeing negro and reported that he believed he shot him in the leg.

Two hours later Joseph Thomas, a negro, 23 years old, of 2234 Walnut street, was found at his home suffering from a bullet wound in the right leg. He said he had been shot by another negro with whom he was doing craps beneath the Grand avenue viaduct.

The police have special orders to watch for lead pipe thieves. In the past two months more than 200 vacant buildings have been stripped of water pipes and faucets. The war has created a heavy demand for metal and junk dealers have been paying good prices for lead, copper and brass.

All Savings Deposits made on or before May 5 draw interest from May 1. St. Louis Union Bank, 4th and Locust.

Collector Robbed of \$140.
Cliff C. Keener of 4704 St. Louis avenue a collector for the Prudential Life Insurance Co., reported to the police that pickpockets took \$140 from him while he was on a Taylor car, riding from St. Louis avenue to Delmar boulevard, last night.

Busy Bee Candy Barrels Friday.
Fine Assorted Chocolates, including Chocolate Maraschino Cherries, 20c lb.

Address on Parental Responsibility.
Mrs. Norman Windsor of 6311 Etzel avenue, recently elected resident of the Missouri Congress of Mothers, will speak on "parental responsibility" before the Mothers' Club of Gravois avenue, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

MILITARY TRAINING BEGUN BY 250 AT FORT OGLETHORPE

Business and Professional Men at Camp From All Parts of East and South.

FORT OGLETHORPE, Ga., May 4.—Two hundred and fifty business and professional men, residing from New England to Mexico in the East and South, have been transformed into khaki clad citizen soldiery at the Southern military training camp, which opened here yesterday. It is expected the enrollment will be increased to 300 today.

Two columns, one of the regular army detachment of 700 men and the other a battalion of military students commanded by coast artillery and cavalry captains, came together for the first time under a tent to hear the opening lecture by Lieutenant-Colonel D. W. Ketcham, training camp commander, and an address by Capt. Gordon Johnston, aide-camp of Major-General Leonard Wood. Objects, plans and rules of the training course were explained.

Massachusetts, New York and Pennsylvania sent a majority of the applicants for military training. Ralph L. Smith, an American from Mexico City, represented the most distant point. Robert Bacon, former Secretary of State and former Ambassador to France, was enlisted in company D, under Capt. R. H. Jordan of the coast artillery. Bacon was recognized as a Sergeant, having attained that rank last year at Plattsburg. Martin W. Littleton, former representative from New York, is in another company and a private.

After being enrolled and equipped from the ordnance department, the student arrivals, including all the new recruits, were assigned to tents and immediately took up elementary training work. The first call for reveille was sounded at 5:45 this morning.

The men found supper at mess tents last night consisting of roast beef, potato cakes, boiled beans, peas, bread and butter, coffee and cream, apple pie and cherries.

Classes enrolled will participate in the maneuvers until June 3.

WE GIVE
EAGLE
STAMPS

Sensenbrenner's
SIXTH AND ST. CHARLES

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Choice of ALL Suits

Our Great Annual Clean-Up—Bringing Economies That Hundreds of Women Will Eagerly Seize



All sizes to 50 bust are included.

Not a single Suit is reserved during this annual event, as those who have attended in previous seasons will testify, and reductions that you really should not expect until July. We're holding this event earlier than usual to enable you to purchase your Suit at a more opportune time—at the very height of the season. Come early as choosing in the morning means more complete lots.

Any \$12.50 Serge Suit (Silk Lined) **\$7**
Any \$15 Poplin Suit (Silk Lined) **\$7**
Any \$15 Checked Suit (Silk Lined) **\$7**

Any \$17.50 Wool Poplin Suit **\$12**
Any \$19.75 Silk Poplin Suit **\$12**
Any \$19.75 Gabardine Suit **\$12**
Any \$19.75 Checked Suit **\$12**
Any \$22.50 Silk Poplin Suit **\$12**
Any \$22.50 Velour Check Suit **\$12**

Any \$45 Silk Taffeta Suit **\$17**
Any \$45 Cloth Suit **\$17**
Any \$35 Silk or Cloth Suit **\$17**
Any \$29.75 Silk or Cloth Suit **\$17**
Any \$25 Silk or Cloth Suit **\$17**

No C. O. D.'s, Exchanges or Approvals Allowed

Continuing the Sale of
\$3 and \$3.50
Pumps & Oxfords



Sale will be held in SUBWAY

An Imposing Collection
of Smart New
PUMPS



Colonials—Paris Pumps—Plain Pumps—Strap Pumps. High or low heels, leather or covered wooden heels, hand-turned or welt soles. Choice of WHITE KID, DULL KID or PATENT LEATHER.

Bomb in Bishop's Palace. GUAYACUIL, Ecuador, May 4.—A dynamite bomb was thrown into the Bishop's palace at Riobamba Riobamba Tuesday, destroying the furniture in the Bishop's room. The Bishop was unhurt.

Exclusive Sterling Silverware Rare Old English and Colonial Designs in Sterling or Sheffield

Nothing else is so thoroughly appreciated by the housewife as silverware. It is the ideal gift for her, because of its enduring qualities.



This store is a paradise for buyers of silver gifts. There's a wealth of handsome Old English and Colonial patterns to select from. Patterns of rare beauty that have won favor for centuries.

And should you not care to pay the price of sterling, you will find a satisfactory selection in our Sheffield Silver—a close rival to sterling. Its nickel silver base insures a lifetime service.

We will enjoy showing our display and you will enjoy inspecting it.

Hand-Hammered Sheffield Sugar and Creamer (two pieces), very special value at **\$7.75**

Haviland China Dinner Set, 100 pieces; dainty floral decoration in gold, brown and black **\$40**

Exclusive Glassware: new arrivals, including all the novel shapes; rich designs in enameled gold decoration.

Cut Glass Vases. We have a large assortment of new shapes and rich designs from 50c to \$25.00.

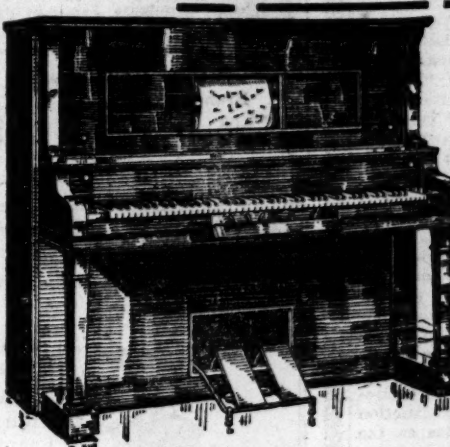
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THIS USED 88-NOTE BUSHMAN PLAYER-PIANO

Like Cut—With Stool, Scarf, Bench and
29 ROLLS of PLAYER MUSIC



\$226

\$10 Cash—\$2.50 a Week

We call your special attention to this splendid Player-Piano because it is one of the very best values in this line we ever offered—a high-grade 88-note instrument—used very little—and almost as bright and perfect as the day it left the factory—sold for \$500 when new—on sale tomorrow to the first comer—with stool, scarf, bench and 29 rolls of player music—all for only \$226.00—on the particularly pleasing terms named above.

3 BARGAINS IN USED PIANOS



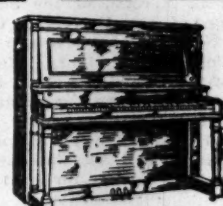
Stuyvesant Piano

With Stool, Scarf, Music Lessons

\$1.00 Cash \$75

\$1.00 Weekly

YOU have heard of the Stuyvesant Piano—here is one that has been thoroughly overhauled and put into splendid condition—the original price when new was \$100.00—you can have it tomorrow, complete with stool, scarf and free course of piano lessons—for only \$75.00.



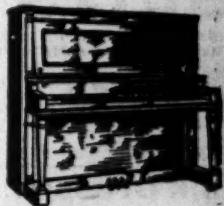
Vose & Son Piano

With Stool, Scarf, Music Lessons

\$1.00 Cash \$85

\$1.00 Weekly

WE are fortunate to be able to offer you this high-grade Vose & Son's Piano—it came to us as part payment on a new Player—was \$425.00 when new—will be closed out tomorrow, complete with stool, scarf and free course of piano lessons—at the unusually low price of \$85.00.



McCannon Piano

With Stool, Scarf, Music Lessons

\$1.00 Cash \$69

\$1.00 Weekly

THIS McCannon Piano will be admired for its beautiful appearance, perfect action and sweet tone—sold for \$450.00 when new—has been put in good condition, and is offered complete with stool, scarf and free course of piano lessons for only \$69.00. See it.

No
Interest
Ever
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MAY, STERN & CO.

Corner Twelfth and Olive Sts.

Used Music
Rolls
In Our Exchange
Department
10c

WHY MANY MEN FAIL IN BUSINESS AND WOMEN FAIL SOCIALLY



It is the Bright, Active, Clear-eyed, Healthy individual who meets success, at work or at play, socially or financially.

CADOMENE TABLETS Mean Health to Men

Health is Life, Strength, Vitality, Ambition, the ability, the desire to live, to enjoy, to accomplish. Without health and strength in fullest measure you may not hope to enjoy the fullest measure of success in any undertaking. You cannot make the best of conditions and opportunities. If your mind, your power of reasoning and concentration are dulled or inactive, to any extent, naturally you are less capable to the same extent to make them perform as you would have them to.

CADOMENE TABLETS represent a scientific combination of the most vital elements for building and strengthening cell and tissue. Cadomene Tablets produce buoyancy of spirit, a regaining of vitality and endurance, renewed efficiency of body and mind. Amazing and lasting improvement results from Cadomene Tablets in chronic or recent cases of Nervousness or Failing Vitality.

So if you are a victim of overwork, worry, disease—if you feel tired, weak, nervous, trembling, and suffer with headaches, melancholy, pain in spine and back of head, cold extremities, dreadful dreams of direful disasters, a feeling of timidity and a general inability to act naturally at all times, if you have "the blues"—then you need Cadomene Tablets to brace and build you up—to put new ambition, energy and strength into your system and reinforce and nourish the bodily structures. Cadomene Tablets are sold on a money-back-if-not-satisfied-guarantee, and if you are not pleased with results you get every cent of your money back. It belongs to you and we want you to have it.

Cadomene Tablets help men out of the rut of nervous discontent and ill-health, and restore to them the capacity for more complete enjoyment of life. All druggists sell 3-grain Cadomene Tablets in sealed tubes.

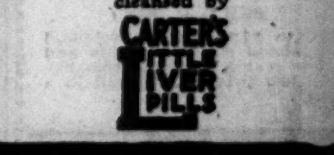
For sale by Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., and all live druggists. —ADVERTISEMENT.

During 1915

The Post-Dispatch printed 96,925 House, Flat and Apartment For Rent Ads, a gain over 1914 of 22,656. This 1915 record is 23,913 more than the number that appeared in the four other St. Louis newspapers combined.

The Rich Red Wine of Life

course through the veins throbs with the health of a system cleansed by



Genuine bears Signature
Bentley

The Sunday Post-Dispatch has over ONE-HALF MILLION more readers than any other newspaper west of the Mississippi.

**A Smooth, Hairless
Skin for Every Woman**
(The Modern Beauty)
With the aid of a plain salicylic paste it is an easy matter to rid the skin of unsightly hairy growths. The paste is made by mixing some water with benzoin and salicylic acid. This is applied to the hairy part wanted, and after 3 or 4 minutes rubbed off and the skin washed. When every trace of hair will have vanished. When you go to your friend's for salicylic, be sure you get the genuine article. **ADOLPH**

Don't Miss
"Fantomas"—
Great New Mystery Serial, second in
a series, with synopsis of the first, in
Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch

Plan your week's pleasures with the Movie Programs printed
on the first Want Page of the Post-Dispatch every Sunday.

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Phantom Fortunes
New persons are continually gullied into believ-
ing themselves heirs to huge estates. See
Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch

Many real fortunes are built by savings wisely invested in
real estate. Begin with a home. See today's offers.

COST OF SICKNESS HIGH SINCE DRUG PRICES INCREASED

War and Speculation Have
Greatly Multiplied the Values
of Staple Chemicals.

QUININE \$1.50 AN OUNCE

Headache Powders, Cod Liver
and Castor Oils High; Iodine
Alone Still Cheap.

St. Louisians, who formerly "enjoyed
bad health" now are finding it an ex-
pensive luxury because of the skyrocket
prices of drugs—owing to the war. Even
little Johnnie is no longer dosed with
castor oil because he used a naughty
word—castor oil has more than doubled
in price, as the aeroplanes of warring
nations need it for a lubricant.

Sister Sue, who just adores Anna
Field's eyes, and formerly put a little
belladonna in her own before "he"
called, now has to be content without
additional luster—because the French
and Germans in their trampings and
fighting over the Vosges mountains have
almost obliterated the Belladonna plant.
And it rarely grows elsewhere.

And the dear old women in the home
who used to take cod liver oil thrice
daily in the winter, find that they can
do without it—the price wholesale has
jumped from 50 cents a gallon to \$2.25,
and is still going up. That is because
the war has interfered with the fishing
plans of the fish who formerly caught
the cod fish in the North Sea, where
much of it came from.

Dad, who would swear that quinine
was one of the only real cures on the
market, now partakes of it sparingly.
If you are a druggist and in need with
your wholesaler, you may get it for \$1.50
an ounce—two years ago it was
only 20 cents. This is because the Ger-
mans, who formerly made most of the
quinine supply, are using their entire
supply for their soldiers.

Even Big Brother Bill is finding "the
morning after" rather expensive these
days. Coal tar derivative, formerly im-
ported from Germany, and used in head-
ache powders, has advanced 1800 per
cent, as it is used in high explosives.
Acetphenidin, used in many head-
ache remedies, has jumped from \$1 a
ton to \$27—and hasn't reached the
sky-line yet. The 25-cent headache
remedy now costs \$1.

It even costs more money to kill a
bedbug than formerly, as corrosive sul-
phur, imported from Germany, has
tripled in price.

Carbolic acid, a basic ingredient of
which is used in the manufacture of
high explosives, has jumped a thousand
per cent.

Iodine is the only good "bug" left—
its price is about the same as before
the war. Local hospitals are provided
with practically all the necessary chem-
icals.

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LONDON, May 4.—Walter Runciman,
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nounced in the House of Commons, yes-
terday that preserved vegetables, motor
tires and salt will be added to the ar-
ticles the importation of which is pro-
hibited.

Missouri Postoffice Robbed.
QUINCY, Ill., May 4.—The postoffice
and a general store at Lakenan, Mo.,
25 miles west of Quincy, was robbed last
night of a small sum of money.

Last year the Post-Dispatch printed
6,618 Situation Wanted advertisements,
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WOMAN EXPLAINS HER NEW CENTRIFUGAL POWER GUN

Weapon Has No Barrel and
Is Fired From Flat Sur-
face—Easily Operated
and Hurls Missiles Seven
Miles.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Mrs. Kathryn
M. Stanton, whose husband, M. McMil-
lan Stanton, is treasurer of the Wolver-
line Copper Mining Co. and other Mich-
igan corporations capitalized at millions
of dollars, said in her summer home at
Whitstone, L. I., she has aided per-
sonally and financially in the perfor-
mance of a war gun which:

1. Has been tested in model form with
marvelous results by Generals in the
United States army.
2. Uses no powder, chemicals or
springs for its discharge.
3. Has an effective range of seven or
eight miles.
4. Shoots out eggs or glass balls with-
out breaking them in the discharge.
5. Shoots out 50 balls instantly or one
ball ever hour.
6. Can wreck trenches, vessels or
aeroplanes.
7. Has no barrel.
8. Can be operated by one woman.
9. Can plant 50 balls within a radius of
six feet at a range of a mile and a
half, as was actually done with a
smaller model at Fort Hamilton and
Sandy Hook.
10. Can be placed on the grass and
fired without recoil.
11. Weighs about 300 pounds.
12. Can be duplicated simply, quickly
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13. Hurls missiles from a flat surface.
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Has Opposite Effect,
Says Senator.

HONOR OF U. S. FIRST

Dyer Says He Will Give His
Best Efforts to Prevent-
ing War.

Letters from United States Senator
Reed and Congressman Dyer were re-
ceived today by Anthony A. O'Hallaron,
a lawyer in the Third National Bank
Building, in response to his letter of last
Saturday protesting against the pro-
German telegram propaganda and urg-
ing Missouri's Representatives in Con-
gress to uphold President Wilson's
stand on the submarine issue.

Senator Reed, in his letter, says:
"I always want the unbiased views of
the patriotic citizens of our good State.
"When letters or telegrams are the
spontaneous expression of the senti-
ments of the citizens they are entitled
to great weight. When floods of tele-
grams or letters are forwarded in pur-
suance of a propaganda and when the
telegrams are paid for from some secret
fund, they generally produce a result
exactly the opposite of that which was
intended."

"I think there is but one sentiment
in Congress and speaking broadly, but
one in the country, namely, that the na-
tional peace should be preserved if that
can be done in a manner consistent with
the nation's honor, but that the nation's
honor must at all hazards be kept un-
tarnished."

"I believe this will be the attitude of
all departments of the Government and
that Congress will as loyally sustain
the position as the most patriotic of our
citizens could desire."

Congressman Dyer, in his reply, wrote:
"I note what you say with reference to
this country going to war, etc. I agree
fully with you in that we do not want
war, unless there is justification for
same. At the present time, the justifica-
tion, in my judgment, does not exist, un-
less it be with reference to Mexico. I
shall do my best to maintain peace, and
an honorable one at that."

O'Hallaron's letter to Speaker Clark,
Missouri Senators and St. Louis Con-
gressmen was one of the hundreds of

such letters sent by St. Louisians as a
result of the "Vindicate St. Louis"
editorial which appeared in the Post-
Dispatch last Friday. In his letter,
the text of which was printed in last
Sunday's Post-Dispatch, O'Hallaron
said:
"The Congressman who puts aside his
patriotism and the traditions of his
country and considers his next
election in times like these is a traitor
not only to his country, but to his
God and all mankind."

CONGRESSMAN FLOODED WITH PRO-GERMAN PEACE LETTERS

Names on Envelope Are Printed, and
All Protest Against Having
Trouble With Germany.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Printed form
letters protesting against any step which
may lead to war with Germany began
pouring in by the thousands today on
members of Congress as the sequel to
the telegram propaganda which
swamped the Capitol and the telegraph
companies last week.

Even the names of the Congressmen
were printed on the envelopes and every-
thing gave evidence that the letters
had been prepared by thousands and re-
quired only written signatures.

Senator Huston of Wisconsin, who at-
tacked the propaganda in the Senate
and conferred with President Wilson to
find if there was not some way by which
the Department of Justice could uncover
its source, received letters today which,
he said, added evidence to his charge
that the American Embargo Conference
was behind the movement and had de-
clared the purpose of making "drastic
efforts to prevent at least a severance
of diplomatic relations."

Boys! Girls! Circus Free.
Big tent and 16 different animals in
colors. Cut out animals and coupon
wrapped with each loaf of Butternut
bread. Test free for 16 coupons. Ask
your grocer.

WEEKS FAILS TO DEFEND SUIT

Furniture Gets Judgment Against
Politician for \$139.50.

Judgment was given by Circuit
Judge Taylor today against Henry L.
Weeks, better known as "Hank"
Weeks, Republican politician and
office-holder, for \$139.50, represent-
ing an unpaid balance of \$127.50 on a
piano and furniture purchased from
the May-Stern Co., with interest. A
special execution was issued, under
which the piano and furniture at
Weeks' home, 2207 University
street, will be seized.

The furniture, according to testi-
mony, was purchased between Dec.
2, 1911, and April 18, 1912. The total
bill was \$452.80. Weeks paid \$225.
Weeks' daughter, Mrs. E. Butler,
was named as a defendant in the
petition, but a demurrer as to her
was sustained some time ago. Weeks
filed an answer denying that he
owed the amount alleged, but did not
contest the suit and judgment was
by default.

President to Hear Peace Argument.
WASHINGTON, May 4.—President
Wilson will listen for an hour next
Monday to arguments against his
preparedness program by an anti-
militarist committee including Amos
Pinchot, Rabbi Wise and Miss Lil-
lian Wall.

Busy Bee Candy Bargain Friday.
Fine Assorted Chocolates, including
Chocolate Maraschino Cherries, 25c lb.

Mayor Arrested on Bank Charges.
MONROE, La., May 4.—H. D. Apgar,
Mayor of Monroe, formerly cashier of
the Union National Bank, which closed
a year ago, and O. P. Stack and Charles
Titcher, former directors of the bank,
were arrested yesterday on warrants
charging violations of the national bank-
ing laws. Leon Apgar, son of the May-
or, also was indicted.

Men's Suits DRY-CLEANED
\$1 "Phone Chapman." For \$100 Arsonal St.
Suits \$110 Vic. 331.
For \$200 Pelmas. 331.
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Fine Reed Pullmans

Just like the picture—at a spe-
cial price tomorrow. A price made
possible through our contracting
for an enormous number at a big
discount. We're sharing the price
advantages with you. Come, see
this wonderful bargain at

\$14.75

Pay \$1.50 Cash—
Then 50c a Week

**2 Arrow
Stamps**
Instead of
the usual
1
(On Friday)

These Pullmans are excep-
tionally well and substantially
made, with reed body and hood.
They have reclining back seat-
ers, with foot well upholstered
in repp corduroy. Twelve-inch
steel wheels, 1/2-inch rubber
tires. All gears and rods are of
steel.

Buettner's
N. E. Corner 8th and Washington Ave.

The Buettner Protective Home Fur-
nishing Club Plan provides that if a
member dies all payments owing on
goods cease, and balance is cancelled.

Globe-Wernicke

Sectional Filing Equipment

BUILT TO ENDURE

ASK FOR
Globe-Wernicke
2041
The Letter Size Vertical

It means
Highest Quality
Greatest Capacity
Lowest Price

The Best
Wood Upright Filing Cabinet
on Earth
At the Lowest Price
Globe-Wernicke 2041

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4 FILE LETTER SIZE

THE NEW 2000 WOOD LINE—28 INCHES DEEP. ONE PAIR OF END PANELS SERVES FOR A WHOLE BATTERY OF UPRIGHTS
Made with Open Sides for Attachable Panels—Also in Letter, Cap and Bill Sizes with Permanent Sides

LOWEST PRICES - HIGHEST QUALITY

The Globe-Wernicke Co.
Phone Olive 1718
and Central 339
406-408 North Broadway

Mattresses and Pillows Featured Friday and Saturday at Lammert's

1012 & WASHINGTON
Sale of Pillows

Our Comfort Special Genuine All-Cotton Felt Mattresses

Full 45-Pound—\$12.50 Value

Guaranteed 100% pure cotton
felt—therefore superior to Mat-
tresses decayingly advertised
as genuine felt, but which are
composed of jute and other
cheap used materials. The pure cotton in
these special Mattresses which we offer Fri-
day and Saturday, is felted under
sanitary conditions, and compressed into
nine thick layers, making them delightfully
buoyant and restful. They will never pack,
spread nor get lumpy. Other high-class fea-
tures are diamond tufting, reinforced boxing,
full rolled edges, extra strong side stitching.
Ticking is of heavy quality saten in
a variety of pleasing patterns.

You are protected when you buy a Lam-
mert Mattress, certain that we use only
new, clean pure and absolutely sanitary
genuine cotton felt, through the label re-
produced below which is stitched on every Lam-
mert Mattress.

Sanitary Bedding Laws
This Mattress complies with all State
Sanitary Bedding Laws, All New
Material, Clean, Pure and
Absolutely Sanitary.

The Manufacturers guarantee that its con-
tents consist of 100% New Cotton Felt, and
that no secondhand material of any descrip-
tion is used in its construction.

Weight 45 Pounds
This Mattress must not be exposed for sale
or sold without this Label being attached,
under severe penalty.

The Lammert Line

Includes nine other grades, bearing this pure
material label, which may be depended upon
as unequaled values at the prices asked.

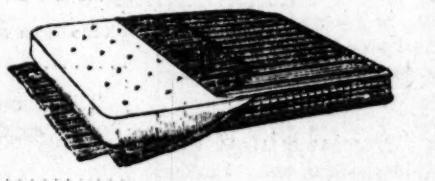
	Three-quarter or Twin Size	Full Size
Imperial	\$7.75	\$9.00
Dreamland	\$8.75	\$10.25
Lammert Special	\$10.00	\$11.50
Atlas	\$10.25	\$11.75
Colonial	\$12.25	\$14.00
Ideal	\$13.75	\$16.25
Style A	\$16.25	\$19.00



FRIDAY and Saturday we offer re-
duced prices on our famous Star
grade of Pillows. These are filled
with choice white goose feathers which
are thoroughly steam-sterilized and are
guaranteed to be absolutely odorless and
free of quills and oil. The tickings are of
heavy quality in choice of variety of
art and striped patterns.

Four pound (pair) 19x26 inches reg-
ularly \$4.00
Five pound (pair) 21x27 inches reg-
ularly \$4.35
Six pound (pair) 22x28 inches reg-
ularly \$4.65

This Is the Famous Tuftless Mattress



Looks and feels like a feather bed, but far
superior because not hot to sleep on in sum-
mer. This luxurious mattress is made of
white, long-staple cotton, felted into
layers, and encased in an inner muslin cov-
ering in addition to the outside ticking. This
felt is tied to the inner covering, eliminat-
ing the necessity of tufting through the outside
ticking. The roll edge is stitched through
both filling and covering, and will not pack
nor spread.

\$16.75
is the special price we ask Friday and Satur-
day for this de luxe quality Mattress; usual
price is \$22.50.

Don't Miss
"Fantomas"
Great New Mystery Serial, second in
stallment, with synopsis of the first, in
Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch

Plan your week's pleasure with the Movie Programs printed
on the first Want Page of the Post-Dispatch every Sunday.

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

PAGES 15-28.

ST. LOUIS, THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 4, 1916. -PART TWO.

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Seekers After
Phantom Fortunes
How persons are peremptorily gulled into believ-
ing themselves heirs to huge estates.
Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch

Many real fortunes are built by savings wisely invested in
real estate. Begin with a home. See today's offers.

COST OF SICKNESS HIGH SINCE DRUG PRICES INCREASED

War and Speculation Have
Greatly Multiplied the Values
of Staple Chemicals.

QUININE \$1.50 AN OUNCE

Headache Powders, Cod Liver
and Castor Oils High; Iodine
Alone Still Cheap.

St. Louisians, who formerly "enjoyed
bad health" now are finding it an ex-
pensive luxury because of the skyrocket
prices of drugs—owing to the war. Even
little Johnnie is no longer doled with
castor oil because he used a naughty
word—castor oil has more than doubled
in price, as the aeroplanes of warring
nations need it for a lubricant.

Sister Sue, who just adores Anna
Held's eyes, and formerly put a little
belladonna in her own before "he"
called, now has to be content without
additional luster—because the French
and Germans in their trampings and
fighting over the Vosges mountains have
almost obliterated the belladonna plant.
And it rarely grows elsewhere.

And the dear old women in the home
who used to take cod liver oil thrice
daily in the winter, find that they can
do without it—the price wholesale has
jumped from 50 cents a gallon to \$2.25,
and is still going up. That is because
the war has interfered with the fishing
plans of the folk who formerly caught
the cod fish in the North Sea, where
much of it came from.

Dad, who would swear that quinine
was one of the only real cures on the
market, now partakes of it sparingly.
If you are a druggist and in good with
your wholesaler, you may get it for \$1.50
to \$2.00 an ounce—two years ago it was
only 50 cents. This is because the Ger-
mans, who formerly made most of the
quinine sulphate, are using their entire
supply for their soldiers.

Even Big Brother Bill is finding "the
morning after" rather expensive these
days. Chai tar derivative, formerly im-
ported from Germany and used in head-
ache powders, has advanced 1800 per
cent, as it is used in high explosives.
Acetphenetidin, used in many head-
ache remedies, has jumped from \$1 a
pound to \$27—and hasn't reached the
sky-limit yet. The 25-cent headache
remedy now costs \$1.

It even costs more money to kill a
bedbug than formerly, as corrosive sub-
limate, imported from Germany, has
tripled in price.

Carbolic acid, a basic ingredient of
which is used in the manufacture of
high explosives, has jumped a thousand
per cent.

Iodine is the only good "bug" left—
its price is about the same as before
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M. Stanton, whose husband, M. McMil-
lan Stanton, is treasurer of the Waver-
line Copper Mining Co. and other Michi-
gan corporations capitalized at millions
of dollars, said in her summer home at
Whitestone, L. I., she has aided per-
sonally and financially in the perfec-
tion of a war gun which:

1. Has been tested in model form with
marvelous results by Generals in the
United States army.

2. Uses no powder, chemicals or
springs for its discharge.

3. Has an effective range of seven or
eight miles.

4. Shoots out eggs or glass balls with-
out breaking them in the discharge.

5. Shoots out 50 balls instantly or one
ball every hour.

6. Can wreck trenches, vessels or
aeroplanes.

7. Has no barrel.

8. Can be operated by one woman.

9. Can plant 50 balls within a radius of
six feet at a range of a mile and a
half, as was actually done with a
smaller model at Fort Hamilton and
Sandy Hook.

10. Can be placed on the grass and
fired without recoil.

11. Weighs about 300 pounds.

12. Can be duplicated simply, quickly
and comparatively inexpensively.

13. Hurls missiles from a flat surface.

14. May drive other sorts of guns out
of existence.

15. Is named by its inventor "The
Beautiful Kathryn."

Old Inventor's Idea.
"Someone brought an old inventor to
me," said Mrs. Stanton. "He had
known more prosperous days but be-
cause since the war his royalties from
inventions he sold in Germany had been
cut off he was unable to finance his
idea of the gun. He is a well-known
inventor, a naturalized citizen who
hates notoriety. His first stipulation
was that the United States should have
the refusal of the invention, which is
patented."

"I rented a small machine shop in
New York and hired a few mechanics.
I watched the gun grow from day to
day."

"When the model was finished tests
were made at Sandy Hook and else-
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Co., 200 South Commercial street, im-
porters of peanuts.

Two Men Robbed of Watches at
Circus.
William Gildenshaw of 490 Forest Park
boulevard was robbed of his watch and
fob when attending the circus last night.
Gus Lehman of 1565 Simple avenue re-
ported that he was robbed of a watch at
the circus.

England Bares Salt Importation.
LONDON, May 4.—Walter Runciman,
president of the Board of Trade, an-
nounced in the House of Commons, yes-
terday that preserved vegetables, motor
tires and salt will be added to the ar-
ticles the importation of which is pro-
hibited.

Missouri Postoffice Robbed.
QUINCY, Ill., May 4.—The postoffice
and a general store at Lankenau, Mo.,
35 miles west of Quincy, was robbed
last night of a small sum of money.

Last year the Post-Dispatch printed
6,648 Situation Wanted advertisements,
which is almost twice the number print-
ed by the four other St. Louis newspa-
pers combined, the four totaling 3,725
ads.

REED AND DYER ANSWER 'VINDICATE ST. LOUIS' LETTERS

Message Flood From Secret Fund
Has Opposite Effect,
Says Senator.

HONOR OF U. S. FIRST

Dyer Says He Will Give His
Best Efforts to Prevent-
ing War.

Letters from United States Senator
Reed and Congressman Dyer were re-
ceived today by Anthony A. O'Hallaron,
a lawyer in the Third National Bank
Building, in response to his letter of last
Saturday protesting against the Ger-
man telegram propaganda and urg-
ing Missouri's Representatives in Con-
gress to uphold President Wilson's
stand on the submarine issue.

Senator Reed, in his letter, says:

"I always want the unbiased views of
the patriotic citizens of our good State.
"When letters or telegrams are the
spontaneous expression of the senti-
ments of the citizens they are entitled
to great weight. When floods of tele-
grams or letters are forwarded in pur-
suance of a propaganda, and when the
telegrams are paid for from some secret
fund, they generally produce a result
exactly the opposite of that which was
intended."

"I think there is but one sentiment
in Congress and speaking broadly, but
one in the country, namely, that the na-
tional peace should be preserved if that
can be done in a manner consistent with
the nation's honor, but that the nation's
honor must at all hazards be kept un-
tarnished."

"I believe this will be the attitude
of all departments of the Government and
that Congress will as loyally sustain
the position as the most patriotic of our
citizens could desire."

Congressman Dyer, in his reply wrote:

"I note what you say with reference to
this country going to war, etc. I agree
fully with you in that we do not want
war, unless there is justification for
same. At the present time, the justifica-
tion, in my judgment, does not exist, un-
less it be with reference to Mexico. I
shall do my best to maintain peace, and
an honorable one at that."

O'Hallaron's letter to Speaker Clark,
Missouri Senators and St. Louis Con-
gressmen was one of the hundreds of

such letters sent by St. Louisans as a
result of the "Vindicate St. Louis"
editorial which appeared in the Post-
Dispatch last Friday. In his letter,
the text of which was printed in last
Sunday's Post-Dispatch, O'Hallaron
said:

"The Congressman who puts aside
his patriotism and the traditions of
his country and considers his next
election in times like these is a traitor
not only to his country, but to his
God and all mankind."

CONGRESSMAN FLOODED WITH
PRO-GERMAN PEACE LETTERS

Names on Envelope Are Printed, and
All Protest Against Having
Trouble With Germany.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Printed form
letters protesting against any step which
may lead to war with Germany began
pouring in by the thousands today on
members of Congress as the sequel to
the telegram propaganda which
swamped the Capitol and the telegraph
companies last week.

Even the names of the Congressmen
were printed on the envelopes and every-
thing gave evidence that the letters
had been prepared by thousands and re-
quired only written signatures.

Senator Husting of Wisconsin, who at-
tacked the propaganda in the Senate
and conferred with President Wilson to
find if there was not some way by which
the Department of Justice could uncover
its source, received letters today which,
he said, added evidence to his charge
that the American Embargo Conference
was behind the movement and had de-
clared the purpose of making "drastic
efforts to prevent at least a severance
of diplomatic relations."

Boys! Girls! Circus Free.
Big tent and 16 different animals in
colors. Cut out animals and coupon
wrapped with each loaf of Butter
Bread. Tent free for 16 coupons. Ask
your grocer.

WEEKE FAILS TO DEFEND SUIT

Furniture Gets Judgment Against
Politician for \$139.50.

Judgment was given by Circuit
Judge Taylor today against Henry L.
Weeke, better known as "Hank"
Weeke, Republican politician and
office-holder, for \$139.50, represent-
ing an unpaid balance of \$127.50 on a
piano and furniture purchased from
the May-Stern Co., with interest. A
special execution was issued, under
which the piano and furniture at
Weeke's home, 2207 University
street, will be seized.

The furniture, according to testi-
mony, was purchased between Dec.
2, 1911, and April 18, 1912. The total
bill was \$452.80. Weeke paid \$325.
Weeke's daughter, Mrs. E. Butler,
was named as a defendant in the
petition, but a demurrer as to her
was sustained some time ago. Weeke
filed an answer claiming that he
owed the amount alleged, but did not
contest the suit and judgment was
by default.

President to Hear Peace Argument.
WASHINGTON, May 4.—President
Wilson will listen for an hour next
Monday to arguments against his
preparedness program by an anti-
militarist committee including Amos
Pinchot, Rabbi Wise and Miss Lil-
lian Wall.

Mayor Arrested on Bank Charges.
MONROE, La., May 4.—H. D. Apgar,
Mayor of Monroe, formerly cashier of
the Union National Bank, which closed
a year ago, and O. P. Stack and Charles
or, also was indicted.

Men's Suits DRY-CLEANED
\$1 "Phone Chapman." For \$100 Arsonal St.
Suits \$110 Vic. 131
PRESSED ONLY 35c For \$204 Delmar.
SAME HIGH-GRADE WORK Call 1706-Del. 1815

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matter.

THE POST-DISPATCH PLATFORM.

I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent, never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.

April 10, 1907.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Aldermanic Improperities.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

When during our segregation campaign, we decided to recall a number of the Board of Aldermen, we made the statement that there were several charges that might be made against them, besides their failure to vote on appropriation for our election, but we declined at that time to state what they were.

One of them was the acceptance by every member of the Board of Aldermen of the Union Electric Light and Power Co.'s Christmas gift, about which much was written by the daily papers at that time, and the writer has seen no record of any of them having returned the gift to the Union Electric Light and Power Co.

It is now reported that two members of the Board of Aldermen have accepted insurance placed with by the Union Electric Light and Power Co. It is also rumored that these two received as their commission on this insurance approximately \$9000.

The writer recalls that not only every member of the Board of Aldermen, but the Mayor as well, were pledged to do all in their power to provide for the people of St. Louis a municipal lighting plant. Instead of proceeding with the passage of an ordinance providing for the erection or building of such a plant, they have spent nearly two years junketing and investigating the electric light business. These two members of the Board of Aldermen are members of the Public Utility Committee which has in its charge this investigation, and the \$9000 in commissions which they received on the insurance that the Union Electric Light and Power Co. gave them is an improper transaction. This is also true of the Christmas gift, which every member of the Board of Aldermen received.

Why remove two members from the Public Utility Committee and leave them as members of the Board of Aldermen with the right to vote against an ordinance that the people demand and that they were pledged to vote for?

We now pay our Board of Aldermen enough salary to justify an honest workman seeking the office.

FELIX P. LAWRENCE.

Favoring the Square Deal.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Your editorial in the issue of the 26th on "Rebellion in Ulster and Dublin" deserves the hearty commendation of all lovers of the American spirit of the "square deal." You have indicated the line of action England should take in dealing with her present "rebels," in view of her treatment of the "rebels" of Ulster.

Your editorial is but another proof of your paper's motto; the mouthpiece of a free, unbiased and clean-hearted people; these are the characteristics of your esteemed journal. STUDENT.

The Irish Uprising.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Some great man of the past has said that "revolution without a reasonable chance of success is a crime," and it is true, no matter how just the cause. Much blame and censure is therefore due to the leaders who incited the rebellion in Ireland.

Anyone of ordinary intelligence could see that the land legislation and the more recent results of Mr. Redmond's vigorous but sane efforts had cooled the ardor of so many former possible rebels, and taken the wind out of the sails of the orators and agitators.

As to the agitators in this country, it is pertinent to ask—in the light of their fervid oratory and apparent eagerness to fight for Ireland—why they are not there to cast their lot with the unfortunate dupes who are being shot or imprisoned. They have known of and helped the movement and could easily have got over in time. Any man who advocates such a movement should be willing to risk life and liberty with those whom he incites.

JOSEPH O'GRADY.

"Safety First" With the Car Step.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The United Railways Co.'s safety first suggestions have no doubt prevented many street car accidents. I beg to suggest that the United Railways Co. prepare safety first rules for their conductors concerning the closing of the doors before a passenger alights from a car. I with my infant babe, was about to step off the car and the conductor rang the bell and half closed the door with me still on the steps, and car starting up slowly. The conductor threw the door wide open quickly, and the step was a great protection for me. I would suggest that the door be left open at least a few moments after the car starts, so one may have the step for protection if the conductor happens to be careless as not to see that a passenger is off the step before he attempts to close the door, which also closes the step.

MRS. F. MOORE.

EXPANDING THE B. M. L.

Business was put into the expansion campaign of the Business Men's League at the conference luncheon. The hardware speakers urged that the league get down to brass tacks; the auto man wanted the knocks taken out of the league motor and the old "tires" punctured; the shoe man wanted to put a soul into the league work and we presume the newspapers are expected to put the membership into circulation.

There was a time when we thought the Business Men's League too narrow—too much devoted to commercial and manufacturing interests, sometimes to special business interests—to exercise the best influence for the general welfare of the community. But the league has grown in membership; it has widened its scope of vision and broadened its field of activity. This increasing breadth of view and labor is due largely to increasing membership, but it is due also to an awakened and enlarged civic consciousness, to the intensifying conviction that the community welfare is bound up with everything that affects and interests the community. Business in its commercial sense is, of course, a fundamental concern of such an organization, because we live and flourish through business, but business in its largest sense—the common business of the community, of the municipality as a whole—is vitally important to every resident of the city.

The Business Men's League and similar organizations have been timid about touching local politics. Of course, no one wants them to touch partisan politics, but to get away from it. Municipal politics, however, teaches municipal business and nothing else. We defer too much to city politics as a thing apart from city business. It is city business and the sooner we recognize it as that and nothing else the sooner we will realize efficiency in municipal government the sooner we will get the things necessary for the city's welfare accomplished at the city hall.

The municipality is a corporation organized to attend to the common business of the community, constructing its public buildings, making and maintaining streets and sewers, supplying adequate and cheap transportation and lighting, managing parks, playgrounds and other public interests and public works. There is nothing political about it; it is all business requiring high capacity, integrity and industry without regard to pulls or political influences. For this business the city does not need a political legislature, but a competent board of directors and a first-class business manager. It needs an organized citizenship to see that the right men for the job are selected and that the work is properly done.

Progress in democracies is accomplished mainly by organization. This is the democratic mode of getting things done by government. The organization informs and crystallizes public opinion and the government registers it.

The bigger an organization like the Business Men's League the broader and better will be its work; the less danger of the influences of special interests and the more certainty of valuable contribution to the general welfare. The league should have not less than 5000 members.

If any citizen thinks the league is not doing what it should do for St. Louis, let him get in and help to improve its work. It is too strong an organization to let alone. Reform works from the inside, not the outside. Co-operation beats knocking.

PRECEDENT FOR PATIENCE.

President Wilson's patience is not without precedent in American history.

A writer with a reasonably good memory recalls that Grant stood more than 200 incursions into United States territory by Mexicans without making war on Mexico, and that the Virginian case, which involved the shooting against the wall of a score of American citizens by Spain, he settled by diplomatic proceedings which consumed more than a year.

BRIGHTER MEXICAN OUTLOOK.

If reports of the main points of the agreement reached by Gens. Scott and Oregon are correct, a happy solution of the Mexican problem has been gained. The best feature of it is the co-operation of Mexican and American forces in hunting down and destroying Villa marauders.

The United States troops are in Mexico for the sole purpose of ridding the country of bands that are a menace to the Mexican de facto Government, as much as to the safety of Americans and the security of our border. Restoring order there will strengthen the Carranza Government at its weakest point and will remove the greatest danger of intervention. In disposing of the Villistas the purpose of our Government will be gained and troops may be withdrawn without loss of American dignity and prestige.

Gen. Oregon has shown wisdom in grasping the only possible solution of the difficulty. It is to be hoped that Gen. Carranza will be as reasonable. In this mutually satisfactory arrangement, with good will and co-operation in gaining a common object, we may see the beginning of the end of Mexican disorder and American agitation—a consummation devoutly to be wished.

A swallow flying from the equator to the north pole would by oscillation tilt the earth one sixty-four quadrillionth of an inch. If this is true, the Colonel may live to wobble the globe considerably.

A SUIT THAT LASTED 13 YEARS.

When it requires 13 years to determine the rights of the minority stockholders in the Missouri-Edison company, who refused to sell when the North American holding company consolidated the electric light interests of St. Louis, it surely appears that a need exists for reforming judicial procedure.

The suit against a formidable combination of capital was prosecuted under exceptionally favorable circumstances. The owners of 3189 shares of stock took concerted action, employed counsel and instituted a joint suit in defense of their property. Presumably the litigation was never permitted to lag because of a lack of reasonable amounts of money to carry it on. As a result, they obtain a judgment of \$107,500 for each share of stock, with \$22.50 in interest, or a total of \$607,026.

How much longer would it have taken if the

minority interest had been less united and had commanded fewer resources? Judicial officers take an oath to administer justice alike to the rich and poor. But such are the practical difficulties of the system that the man to whom a \$500 claim would mean more than this adjudicated \$607,026 claim means to the associated owners might never have recovered his equitable due.

THE IRISH EXECUTIONS.

'Twas the custom, whiniver a rebel was got.
To hang him by jury, barring such as was shot.
—Ballad of Shamus O'Brien.

President Patrick H. Pearse of the Irish Republic, and Thomas J. Clark and Thomas McDonough, signers of the republic proclamation, were tried by courtmartial and shot three days after their surrender.

Rebellion against British authority in the design of establishing a republic in Ireland seems, accordingly, to be a much more serious offense than rebellion against British authority in South Africa in the design of re-establishing the Boer republics.

The uprising in South Africa took place less than three months after the great war started. It was likewise a result of German planning in part and had German aid. Col. Maritz took the initiative in Northern Cape Colony. His example was followed after a short delay by Gen. Christian De Wet, Gen. F. C. Beyers and other representative citizens in the former Orange Free State and the Transvaal.

As in Ireland, the movement, though joined by considerable numbers of armed men, did not have the approval of the great majority of the people. By the last of November De Wet and other leaders had been captured. Here the parallel between the two rebellions, almost complete up to this time, ends.

De Wet was not brought to trial until June. He was found guilty of treason on eight counts and sentenced to six years' imprisonment and \$10,000 fine. On Dec. 20 following, he and 118 other high treason prisoners were pardoned. Hundreds of others, with an important part in the rebellion, incurred no penalty whatever. Not a single participant was executed.

Leniency was shown the South African leaders with a view to conciliating the discontented. Was it a mistake? It does not appear so from the solidarity South Africa has since shown in the British interest. If it was not a mistake, was the summary vengeance executed on the Irish leaders wise?

Ireland is much nearer England. Success there would have been more serious, though a blockade by the fleet would have rendered it impotent to affect the main issues of the war. Unquestionably the swift executions are approved by powerful elements in England which would have denounced leniency as paltering. But the hanging of Robert Emmet in 1803 had the approval of the same element. The condition of the nation, of course, being serious, naturally affects public opinion.

The effect of adding four more names to the list of Emmets depends on the further policy. If the hangings and shootings of the reign of terror succeeding the rebellion of '98, undertaken while England was at war with France and supported by 1100 French troops, are to be duplicated, Ireland's permanent pacification may be despaired of.

The Government is experimenting with sawdust in making artificial silk. Sawdust silk! Will the silkworm turn?

BRICKLAYERS AND PREACHERS.

We yield to nobody in respect for the cloth, but we can't help smiling when we read that a New Jersey preacher, after very great reluctance, has at last reconciled himself to the marriage of his daughter with a bricklayer, and given the happy couple his blessing. Why so much reluctance? We ask when we are informed that the young bricklayer is a very promising person who is working his way through an engineering course and is destined to be somebody some day. Indeed, what can be the objection to an honest young bricklayer as such, without regard to potentialities.

With equal reason might not a bricklayer object to his daughter's marrying a preacher? As between preachers and bricklayers, those who occupy the pulpit and those who build the edifice (Jesus Himself was a carpenter), and as between preachers' daughters and bricklayers' daughters, where does the superiority lie—and is it one to which an humble follower of the meek and lowly Nazarene may lay claim?

True, a bricklayer never composed a sermon. No more did a preacher ever lay a brick, or do a stroke in his life. The point that mainly impresses us, however, is the vast amount of superciliousness and snobbery in a plain democracy. It is a striking characteristic of a plain democracy that there are no humble men in it, and upon the plane of social or political equality each man is better than his fellows. Going back to the marriage of the preacher's daughter to the bricklayer—love is the only leveler of caste; and love in a broader sense is the only salvation of a democracy.

CLOSING IN ON ZAPATA.

No sign of permanent peace in Mexico as promising as the capture of Cuernavaca has been given in many months. This town is the capital of a Mexican State, but little larger than a Missouri county, that adjoins the Federal District of Mexico City to the west and south. Zapata, for a long time, made it his base of operations.

If Villa is an untaught military genius whose methods are worth studying, what about this other bandit? Here at Cuernavaca, only 40 miles away from the halls of the Montezumas, Zapata defied each of the eight Presidents Mexico has had since May 26, 1911. Once in a while, just to show some too impertinent President that he could do it, he moved in and captured Mexico City and took the halls of the Montezumas for his own quarters.

Carranza may be nearer than we think to undisputed rule. Should he devote to the running down, not merely of Zapata and Villa but of their adherents and supporters and enemies of public order everywhere, half the time and energy devoted to pernickety complaints against the United States, things would begin coming his way with a rush.



POOR OLD MISSOURI.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH
by Clark McAdams

THE SEASONS OF HUMAN NATURE.

Worry.

LIKE the black clouds that hang in the skies,
With its gloomy atmosphere,
Like the howling winds ere the storm arrives,
When seems that 'twill never clear,
Like the rumbling thunder and torrentious rain,
So is worry, poignant pain,
As it plays at will upon the brain.

Anticipation.

Like the early dawn ere its fully light,
With the waiting sun lying in the East,
Like the budding flowers growing in the night,
The peaking moon showing in the least,
The wide world starting a bright, new day,
So is anticipation, expectant and gay,
As it livens the thinker on his merry way.

Content.

Like the peaceful water lolling down the stream,
And the calm skies looking on with a smile,
Like the continuous bliss of a fairy dream,
With naught to disturb you all the while,
So is content, serene and clear,
Sans grief, exuberance or fear,
Perpetual, righteous, Godly cheer.

Joy.

Like the dancing sun on the bubbling fount,
Like the unborn free from worldly care,
Like exultation on the loftiest mount,
With the pulse of life everywhere,
Like health in its perfect prime,
Like love setting life to rhyme,
Such is joy, happiness sublime.

1755 Preston Pl. BEN ANSEHL.

Just a Minute went to Jefferson City yesterday. He is convinced that if the air in the average railroad coach at this season could be bottled for war purposes, we would only have to find the wind in our favor to put the enemy out of business. One sees on the observation platform a rather amusing reversal of the usual reason for keeping the door closed. The people on the outside want it closed to keep the air inside from getting out on the platform. It sounds ludicrous, but there isn't anything funny about it if you are out there and some drummer leaves the door open.

Line from a patent medicine advertisement:

Once tried you will never want
anything else.

It certainly rankles
The girl with big ankles
That short skirts are part of the styles;
For out on the street
She can see de-feet
Reflected in all the men's smiles. BO.

Housewife (marketing): Give me a 10-cent cent of one of those new potatoes.

Judging by the number of strikes we are having, the fishing must be something great.

Mr. Roosevelt didn't come out for anything else yesterday.

POETS PREFERRED.

OF all the poets beneath the skies
The big fat poet I most despise—
Cause he grows wide around the waist
By pampering the public taste.
I want mine skinny, seldom fed,
And never honored till he's dead.
—BO.

The British have finally won a victory,
anyway.

However, William Ridley of What Cheer, Ia., cheered up at the state shooting tournament yesterday and beat everybody.

This is a fine day for Judge Lamm, who has breathed none but Republican breath since he was 14, to get some good ozone in his lungs.

Yes, and if the Business Men's League had been asked to assist it would probably have caught the Lewis brothers.

GENERAL XENOPHON.

Go get my old "Anabasis"—
I want to read once more
Of "Darius" and Parysatis
And Paphlagonia's shore;
Old Mars is active there again,
The battle lines are drawn,
And something seems to draw me back
To General Xenophon.

I don't suppose he's General now,
And his ten thousand Greeks
Are sold and seaweed, I'll allow,
But still their spirit speaks;
I pitch my camp with them at night
And break with them at dawn—
I feel I owe a cheer or two
To General Xenophon.

The light armed archer's armor clinks
The heavy hoplite's clangs;
From desert pools the soldier drinks
For weary parassangs;
I'm with 'em when they sight the sea,
When hope is almost gone—
I hear 'em cry "Thalassa!" saved;
Yes, saved by Xenophon.

There soldiers flash the Western lamp
Across the Asian night;
For us they thirst, for us they tramp—
They're Greeks by every right;
I wish I might some tribute pay
To them a-marching on,
Like that unto his master paid
By faithful Xenophon.

My old "Anabasis" I'll take—
I want to march some more,
I want to make some satrap ache,
Some Persian peltsat sore;
I want to be around the place
Where this new clash is on.
And give a rousing cheer or two
For General Xenophon.

DANIEL L. CADY in New York Sun.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

ETIQUETTE.

THANKS.—At either church or house wedding the only expense the groom is to pay is the wedding fee for the minister. The bride's and bridesmaid's bouquets, the ushers' and best man's boutonnieres and the carriages that the ushers use and that he uses when he comes to the church or house and that he uses when he leaves with his bride. All the other expenses are borne by the bride's parents. Groom usually gives ushers a suit and a dinner or supper before the wedding for their services. Bride's parents pay for opening church, music at house and church, all flowers and decorations and all carriages used by the bride and her attendants. Bride usually also gives her attendants some pretty little souvenir. (Groom pays for ring, but not for linen.)

HEALTH HINTS.

HEART.—We do not know more about your heart than your doctor knows.

CONSTANT.—White substance forming nightly in corner of eye is proboscis of a small catarrhal condition, with excess of lachrymation (tear-forming). If annoying, see an oculist.

T. B.—Chief among home remedies for bunion are poultices of slippery elm or flaxseed. Joint should be protected from all pressure by a ring of felt and chamois combined or by ready prepared rings, procurable at any drug store. Low heeled, broad shoes are essential. Simple means fail, paint the inflamed joints several times daily with this lotion: Glycerin, 2 drams; carbolic acid, 2 drams; tincture of iodine, 2 drams.

MOTHER.—Medical men are greatly interested in method of treatment of diabetes by prolonged fasting, a method advocated by Dr. F. M. Allen of the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research. The Journal of the General Medical Association notes that fasting and a low diet have long been known as efficacious in the treatment of diabetes, but that Dr. Allen should receive credit for proving that prolonged fasting would render the patient sugar free and that even a severe type of diabetes may with advantage be cleared up, made sugar free and acid free, in one initial fast. Heretofore the fasting in cases of diabetes has been of brief duration as the loss of body weight has usually been feared as a dangerous depletion of reserves of energy. By the Allen method instead of attempting to increase the weight of the somewhat depleted patient and maintain it at the highest possible level the aim is to keep the weight low in the belief that the reduction is beneficial to the diabetic and that any gain that may bring back metabolic conditions must be checked. The Journal says: "Dangerously weak, and emaciated patients may begin the fasting with apparent benefit. After all, under any dietary plan the most important feature is to stimulate the patient so that he can carry out a dietary scheme with intelligence. Until the physician has learned the foods as well as he knows drugs, it is useless to expect dependence on results from those in his care. Too often he is hopelessly bewildered when there is need of suggesting a diet list."

LAW POINTS.

G. L.—Criminal Court Juror. If per day.

St. K. L.—Phone License Collector, city hall phone.

MARY.—In Missouri absence one year is ground for divorce.

MRS. V. R. D.—Talk with the Prosecuting Attorney of your county.

MRS. V. S.—Illinois minor is not responsible for what was ordered by his parents.

P. Mc.—Lawyer may charge anything he pleases. A considerable lawyer would fit the fee to a poor client's ability to pay.

S. L. B.—We find no Utah law of 21 years ago to prevent remarriage of divorced man or woman after expiration of decree.

GRATEFUL READER.—The idle husband in St. Louis County has been reported to the Prosecuting Attorney of the county.

MRS. WAT. K.—Married again, without divorce, he is guilty of bigamy—a point tantamount to life imprisonment. See Prosecuting Attorney, Municipal Courts, 44th and Market.

St. M. B.—Wife who has husband requires her to live with his mother may sue for separate maintenance. Whether she could collect would depend upon circumstances.

L. W.—Naturalization papers may be issued by all courts of record, in any state or territory, having a seal and jurisdiction in actions at law or equity, or law and equity, in which the amount in controversy is under \$1000.

DOERING.—Under Illinois law, if renter has paid rent and landlord desires him to leave, he must give him a 30-day notice to move. At end of that time landlord may sue for possession if the tenant fails to move, and the court proceedings will take at least 30 days before the Constable can compel the tenant to leave. This is the procedure. At least 60 days must elapse after service of first notice before tenant could be forcibly removed. This procedure must be followed by the new owner who buys a house occupied by renters.

MISCELLANEOUS.

EPC.—Queries are thrown into the waste basket as soon as answer is written. Otherwise they would soon fill a building.

X. Y. Z.—Traffic policemen work on Sunday only at points where traffic is heavy, such as Forest Park, Ball's Bluffs and places where large gatherings are anticipated.

H. M. M.—Expensive grenades are in market made of different mixtures, but cheapest and best fire extinguisher is made as follows: Mix 2 parts common salt with 20 parts chlorate of potassium and add 2 parts water, then put in thin walled bottle. A bottle of this mixture, thrown into a fire or breaking near it, will put out.

CONSTANT.—It has sometimes happened that persons who were given no military training in music, have composed songs without being able to read a musical staff, and of another person would be required to write down the melody. In all countries folk-songs are composed and sung by people long before the invention of musical notation.

READER.—If you get contents of oats in a bin. Multiply the length in feet by the width and that result by the depth; the result will be the number of cubic feet in the bin; now get 90 per cent of this, and the result will be the number of bushels. This is the rule usually followed, but if the bin be very large and absolute exactness is desired, get 80.35 per cent.—C. L. Delbridge.

C. R. J.—Massachusetts 33rd degree in United States (estimated) 190 to 200. The 33rd and highest degree is conferred in the Supreme Council upon a Mason who has given distinguished services to the craft; its title is that of Sovereign Grand Inspector General. The 33rd or highest degree, is that of Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret. Naturally the ranks of the 33rd degree Masons are not large, but the number has not been made public.

KATHERINE.—Applicants for license to practice embalming must be of legal age, have a high school diploma or equivalent, and much depends upon the learner. A good deal of time may be required. There is an embalming school here, at Manchester avenue. Embalmers are paid according to their skill—\$25 to \$100. The practice embalming license must be obtained from the State board. Annual fee for renewal of embalming license \$5.

W. H.—Ordinary whitewash for door use: Take clean, water-tight barrel, put in half bushel lime, slack by pouring boiling water over it to saturate quantity to cover five inches deep, stirring briskly until thoroughly slacked, dissolve in water and add two parts sulphate of zinc and one of common salt. Somebody says: When you slake your lime and are ready to use it, mix some paper hanger's paste and mix it with the lime in the paste makes it stick. This is also good to use on trunks of trees, as the whitewash keeps caterpillars away in summer.

Mixed Babies

Humor is the only solvent for serious situation. In this case it interfered at the most psychological moment for a young doctor in love with a pretty nurse.

By Frank Filson.

MISS NAN KELLER concealed a very warm heart beneath her prim exterior. Some of us are born shy, and Miss Nan was afflicted that way. In all her four years at the hospital she had never succeeded in endearing herself to anybody. And, like most shy people, she craved sympathy, which she seemed destined never to get.

She got it sometimes—from the house surgeon. Dr. Abbott had been two years in the general hospital and he was to leave in June, to take over his father's practice. He had adored Miss Nan from the moment he first saw her—sometimes. Sometimes she seemed to him like an animated automaton. When his sympathetic approaches were coldly repelled he hated Miss Nan. "What right had a girl to have a face like that, and wonderful red-brown hair, if she had a heart like an icicle?"

Miss Nan, although her woman's intuition told her that the house surgeon liked her, trusted rather to her own, which asked her she could be sure. "Wasn't it her impulsive heart, asked the brain, that read into Charles Abbott's actions sentiments which were not there? Then Miss Nan would freeze up hard and Dr. Abbott would call him a double-dyed fool."

As, for instance, on the evening when they found themselves off duty at the same hour, and he asked permission to take her home in his car. Miss Nan somehow managed to accept. Her heart was beating wildly. The proximity of the two inside the car made each dream secretly of a car like that, owned jointly, and—

Well, what's the use? Miss Nan spoke in monosyllables all the drive, and got out resolving never again to place herself in such a position. She knew that somehow she had come to love the house surgeon and every sight of him made her heart ache. After that she hardly said a word to him.

Mixing Up the Babies.
SOMETIMES humor proves a solvent. It is strange, but—well it happened so.

Nan had been shifted unexpectedly to the babies' ward. She had charge of half a dozen infants, ranging in age from 1 week to 12 days. She received her instructions; the chart over each infant's bed was to be filled out and replaced; at a certain hour the mothers were to see their offspring, etc. Just then, as Miss Nan was about to settle herself in her chair, Dr. Abbott came in.

"I beg your pardon," he began. "Not at all," said Miss Nan, frigidly. "I thought Miss Jameson would be here," said the house surgeon.

"I have been placed in charge," answered the nurse in a voice like an icicle.

"Oh!" said the doctor, and withdrew. Miss Nan sat down. These interviews were always painful ones. Her heart was beating like a watch—a loud-ticking one. She filled out the charts and went around the room, hanging them up upon the beds. Then she took out the babies, one by one, made them ready for the night, and replaced them. All the while Dr. Abbott's photograph hung in a prominent place upon the wall of her memory, the consequence being that she walked round the room the opposite way when she replaced the babies.

Miss Matthews, the probationer, came in a little later. "Am I to take the babies to their mothers now, Miss Keller?" she inquired.

Miss Nan looked at the clock. "It isn't 6 yet, Miss Matthews," she answered, "but I will let it be by the time you are half through. Yes! Take Miss Molson's baby in. He's in cot No. 1."

Nan Decides to Flee.
THE probationer went to cot No. 1 and took up the tiny atom of human life. She gazed at it with a puzzled expression.

"Mrs. Molson, did you say?" she inquired.

"Yes," said Nan irritably. "But—but this isn't Mrs. Molson's baby?" protested the probationer.

"Mrs. Molson's baby has red hair. Mrs. Molson is a white woman, Miss Keller."

Nurse Nan cast a horrified glance at the baby in the arms of the probationer. It was—well, not a black baby, because babies are not born as dark as they become, but it was unmistakably a negro baby.

She had got the babies mixed. She looked hopelessly about the ward. She did not in the least remember whose baby was which, nor where she had placed them. She stared with horror into the probationer's face. Miss Matthews was watching her in a puzzled sort of way.

Nurse Nan tried to remember what she had done, but she could only see, in her mind's eye, the features of Dr. Abbott, and they seemed to wear a sarcastic smile. She, who had snubbed him, she, the competent and self-contained one, had mixed the babies.

She thought of the mothers, doomed to go through life with the wrong babies. She thought of pauper babies growing up to be millionaires, and heirs to vast estates doomed to life in the slums. She pictured the colored baby growing up among puzzled white folk, and a white baby fondled in a negro cabin by a proud fosterfather.

Nurse Nan dashed from the room. She did not know where she was going, but it was to be somewhere miles away from the hospital, which she would never see again, and she meant to get there in a very short time.

"Why, Miss Keller," he began. With a sob she sprang past him and made for the hall. She was outside, rushing toward the hospital gates.

All's Well That Ends Well.
DR. ABBOTT lingered one instant to take in the situation from the probationer. Then:

"Let the mothers wait!" he commanded curtly, and started after the fugitive. She had a long start of him, but love put speed into Dr. Abbott's legs. Besides, it was the first time he had seen Miss Keller display any human emotion whatever. He caught her at the gate, grasped her about the waist and pulled her into the shade of a lilac tree.

"It's all right—it's all right, now," he expostulated. "No, it isn't all right!" exclaimed Nan tragically. "Let me go! Let me go! I've mixed the babies!"

He held her like a struggling bird. "Listen! Listen! Come back! I know every baby by sight in the dark, and the mothers know them, too. We'll have them sorted out in a jiffy."

Nan raised her wet face. "Are you sure?" she stammered.

The doctor nodded. "Fond of babies, Miss Nan?" he asked.

"I love them—I love them," she said, with tragic comedy in her tones.

"I didn't think you could love," answered Dr. Abbott. "Miss Nan—Nan—if you can love, won't you try to practice on a grown-up—on me?"

Nan's cheeks flamed. "I—I—" she began.

He took her in his arms. "If you don't I'll never untie the babies," he replied.

Later he untied them.

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Bits From Everywhere
An enormous deposit of asphalt in Leyte Province, in the Philippines, lies so near the shore line at Tacloban that ships can anchor and take on cargoes from lighters loaded at the mines with practically no overland transportation.

There is a large and growing demand on the islands for paving asphalt, and all the cities of the far East are now in a position to offer a market.

A cold-blooded view of the war hospitals reveals the wonderful and heretofore unobtainable practice that young surgeons, of whom many are Americans, are obtaining. The young fellows who are going into that profession should not have chosen a better class for their graduation than 1914 or 1915. Those employed in France receive \$12 a week and \$3 a day expense money.

A new method of using coal in competition with oil fuel has been tried at Vancouver, British Columbia. Those conducting the experiments say that crushed coal can be supplied to steam-producing furnaces by the same method in use for oil. It is proposed to use the new process for smelting in the big mining plants.

Modern physics explains a comet's tail as a swiftly moving stream of atom fragments carried away from the nucleus by the similar emanations from the sun. Thus the tail always points away from the sun and the orbital motion of the nucleus causes the tail to curve like a stream of water from a moving nozzle.

For Gem Pans.
WHEN you have greased your gem pans and are filling them, if you have not better enough for all, fill the empty ones with hot water, put in oven as usual.

This will prevent grease from burning on and discoloring pans. Also will prevent gems from scorching, if oven is hot.

If you will grease your pan well before putting in a roast the roast will not burn and the pan will wash more easily.

CUT THIS OUT
OLD ENGLISH RECIPE FOR CATARRHAL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES.

If you know someone who is troubled with head noises, or Catarrhal Deafness, cut out this formula and hand it to them and you will have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. Recent experiments have proved conclusively that Catarrhal Deafness, head noises, etc., were the direct cause of constitutional disease, and that salves, sprays, inhalers, etc., merely temporarily with the complaint and seldom, if ever, effect a permanent cure. This being so, much time and money has been spent of late by a noted specialist in perfecting his pure, gentle, yet effective tonic that would quickly dissipate all traces of the catarrhal poison from the system. The effective prescription which was eventually formulated, and which has cured the deafness, is given below in understandable form, so that anyone can treat themselves in their own home at little expense.

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Paracetamol (double strength), about 15c worth. Take this home and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and 1 oz. of granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

The first dose should begin to relieve the distressing head noises, headache, dizziness, faint thinking, etc., while the hearing rapidly returns as the system is treated. Loss of smell and mucus dripping in the nose are the first and other symptoms that show the presence of catarrhal poison, and which are often entirely overcome by the effective treatment. Nearly ninety per cent of all cases are directly cured by this treatment; therefore, there must be many persons who have been cured by this simple home treatment.

Every person who is troubled with head noises, catarrhal deafness, or catarrh in any form, should give this prescription a trial.—A.V.

Bennie Dog Gets Sick

Sandman story of a trick to get something nice to eat that turns out not as was planned.

By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

ONE morning Bennie Dog's mother said: "I want you to take this bowl of broth and a jar of jelly up the road to Mrs. Hound Dog; she is very sick."

Bennie Dog took the jelly and broth to Mrs. Hound Dog and then he went away, thinking it was very nice to be sick, and on the way home he met Ned Dog, who lived over the hill. Bennie Dog told Ned all about the good things that Mrs. Hound Dog had brought to her just because she was sick.

"Why don't you get sick, Bennie Dog," said Ned Dog, "and I will tell everybody how ill you are and that you can only eat nice, delicate things."

Bennie Dog thought that would be a good scheme, so off he ran for home. "Oh mother! mother!" he cried, when he reached the door, "I am so sick. I have a terrible pain in my stomach; I cannot sit up. I must go to bed. Oh! Oh! Oh!"

Bennie Dog's mother dropped her sewing and helped Bennie Dog get into bed. Then she put a hot flannel on his stomach and gave him some unpleasant medicine to take, but Bennie Dog swallowed it because he was thinking of all the nice things he would have brought to him now he was sick.

The next morning Bennie Dog started to get out of bed, for, of course, he was perfectly well, and he was very hungry. But he remembered that his mother had said

that old Mrs. Hound Dog was ill a long time, so back he got into his bed and began to groan.

More of the unpleasant medicine and nothing to eat was all that Bennie Dog had that day, and the next morning he asked his mother to look out and see if Ned Dog was not somewhere about. "I feel sure he will come to see me today. He must know I am sick," he said.

"I guess Ned Dog is sick, too, by this time," said Bennie Dog's mother. "I saw him sitting by the side of the road and every once in a while someone would come along and give him something to eat. He had dishes of bones and bowls of soup and jars of jelly and—"

Bennie Dog did not wait to hear any more. He jumped out of bed and ran out of the house and over the hill straight to Ned Dog's house, growling in a very fierce manner.

When he reached Ned Dog's house he saw a number of dogs standing in front of the door looking very solemn and Ned Dog's mother was crying.

LD Mr. Dr. Dog was shaking his head and looking very grave. "Yes, he is very sick, indeed. I am afraid I will have to use the stomach pump. When young dogs eat such things as he did and save them from dying, is to pump their stomachs."

Bennie Dog could hear Ned Dog

The First American Novelist.

THE first American novelist to take up literature as a profession and a means of livelihood was the pioneer—was Charles Brookden Brown, who died 106 years ago, at the age of 33.

Brown was a native of Philadelphia, and his ancestors were Quakers, who came over with William Penn. He studied law, but abandoned that profession for literature. "Wieland," his first novel, was published in 1788, and was followed the next year by "Ormond." Both novels were successful, and, although they now seem rather crude, they stood as the best American fiction up to Cooper.

"Edgar Huntley: The Adventures of a Sleepwalker" was his next novel, and it was followed by "Clara Howard," "Jane Talbot" and other tales. Brown died of consumption, and, although his literary career covered only 13 years,

he produced 24 volumes. Brown is justly to be regarded as the father of American fiction, as he was the first to take up novel writing seriously and not as a mere diversion.

Ever since the year 1296, all the fine porcelain used in China's royal palaces has come from the King Teh Cheng factory. The factory was partly destroyed and many of its choice designs were divided among certain leading revolutionists. Recently, the ancient factory has received a grant of \$20,000 and will again produce the rare and beautiful porcelain for which it is noted.

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Bennie Dog's mother was waiting in the hallway for her sure that he had gone mad, but Bennie Dog told her he suddenly felt quite well and thought a good run over the hill would make him well, and it had, and he was hungry.

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Some New Recipes

Black Cake—One pound flour, 1 currant, 1 raisin, 1 of sugar, 1/2 pound citron, 1/2 pound chopped figs, 1/2 pound butter, 10 eggs, leaving out 2 whites; tricap molasses, 1 of sour cream and soda, 1 gill brandy or good whisky, 1/2 cup cinnamon, 2 tablespoons allspice and cloves mixed, 4 tablespoons jam. Mix thoroughly. Makes 2 loaves. Bake 2 hours. When cutting, make pieces small.

Lemon Jelly Cake—Two cups of sugar, 1 cup of butter, 1 cup of milk, 3 cups of flour (pastry), 4 eggs, 1 teaspoon of cream of tartar, 1/2 teaspoon soda. Mix and bake in 4 thin layers.

Hot Milk Cake—Two eggs, 1 cup flour, 1 teaspoon butter, 1/2 teaspoon lemon or vanilla, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 cup boiling milk. Beat eggs well, add sugar, add flour

mixed and sifted with baking powder twice, add hot milk with butter melted in it and flavoring. Bake in usual way.

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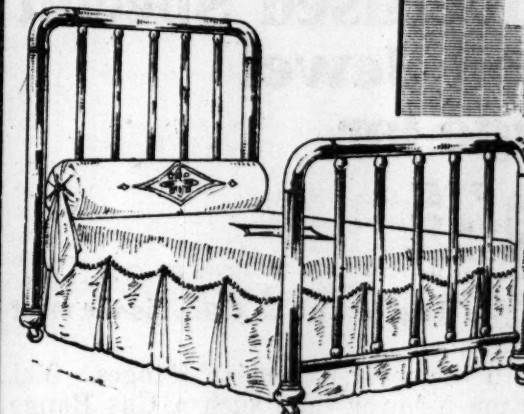
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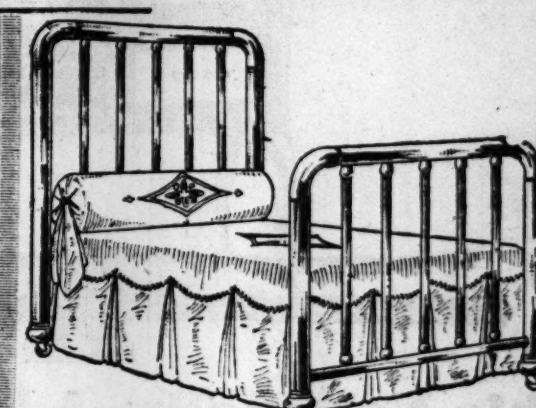
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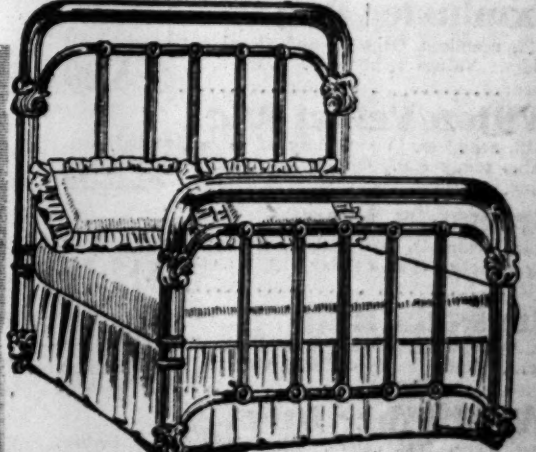
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SUNDAY WON'T GIVE WAY TO T. R.

Refuses to Let Roosevelt Speak in Tabernacle on Preparedness.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 4.—Billy Sunday yesterday refused to consent to Theodore Roosevelt speaking in the tabernacle on Memorial day. It was set forth to Sunday that the services might cut down the Colonel's crowd if he spoke in Convention Hall and that Sunday might give over the pulpit for the afternoon, while the Colonel spoke for preparedness.

Mrs. Sunday replied that it was not a custom of her husband to give way to anything or anybody. Could they speak from the same platform, then? was asked. Sunday himself replied. He simply said: "I don't split my services."

All Savings Deposits made on or before May 5 draw interest from May 1. St. Louis Union Bank, 4th and Locust.

Shaw Play at Jewish Alliance.

Bernard Shaw's comedy, "Arms and the Man," will be presented at the Jewish Educational Alliance Saturday and Sunday by the Fra-Mici.

K. of C. Choral Club, Odeon, Tonight.

IRISH EDITOR KNEW OF GERMAN PLOT, INDICTMENT SAYS

John Devoy of New York Declared to Have Figured in Welland Canal Conspiracy.

NEW YORK, May 4.—John Devoy, editor of the Gaelic-American, and John T. Ryan, a Buffalo attorney, were mentioned in superseding indictments handed down here yesterday by the Federal grand jury which investigated the alleged German plot to blow up the Welland Canal. The men were not indicted, but are alleged to have had cognizance of the conspiracy.

Devoy, a leader in this country in the movement for Irish independence, issued a statement saying he would answer the charge editorially in his newspaper. The indictments go into the details of the alleged plot, and for the first time in pro-German conspiracy cases, state that it was aimed to assist the German Emperor. The indictments are against Capt. Franz von Papen, recalled German military attaché; Wolfe von Igel, his former secretary; Capt. Hans Tauscher, agent of the Krupp in the United States and husband of Mme. Galski, the opera singer; Alfred A. Fritzen and Constantine Covani. Von Igel and Capt. Tauscher are the only ones under arrest.

Three Granted Immunity.

Named as co-conspirators for the first time but not indicted, are Horst von der Goltz, former major in the army of the Kaiser, and confessed spy; Carl Tuschendorf, alias Tucker, and Frederick Joachim Busse. These three disclosed details of the Welland Canal conspiracy to the Federal authorities and have been granted immunity in return for their willingness to appear as Government witnesses. Tuschendorf and Von der Goltz are being detained at Ellis Island, while Busse is being kept in seclusion by Federal agents.

The indictments allege that the plot was a military enterprise "and the aim of it the destruction of the Welland Canal, a Canadian waterway."

The charge is made that Capt. von Papen, Von Igel and Capt. Tauscher furnished the initiative and funds for the expedition and that Fritzen and Covani were to have been the perpetrators with the assistance of five other men, "German subjects" engaged by Von der Goltz in Baltimore in August, 1914. The leaders, the indictments state, furnished the others with automatic revolvers, ammunition, bombs, dynamite and other explosives.

The accusation is repeated that Capt. Tauscher purchased from the local office of the Dupont Powder Co. 300 pounds of "40 per cent" dynamite, which was to have been used in the work of destruction, and that the explosive was obtained by Von der Goltz on Tauscher's written order.

\$200 Furnished by Von Papen.

Fritzen, Covani and the others left this city for Buffalo on Sept. 14, 1914. It is charged, to carry out the enterprise. A payment of \$200 to Von der Goltz by Capt. von Papen on Sept. 1, 1914, it is charged, furnished the money for the trip.

The indictment states that after the arrival of the party in Buffalo, Von der Goltz attempted to obtain additional funds from John T. Ryan, an attorney alleged to have been the agent of Von Igel.

Ryan was dissatisfied with Von der Goltz's credentials, it is asserted, until Von Igel, notified of the situation, communicated with him through Devoy. It is alleged Devoy sent the following telegram to Ryan at Buffalo on Sept. 16, 1914:

"Party who called is all right. I gave your address. Do all you can for him. Identify him at telegraph office. I will be responsible. Imperfect introduction due to my brother's death and hurry."

Ryan, the indictment states, then gave Von der Goltz \$400. This money was used by the agents of Capt. von Papen to invade Canadian territory, the Government charges, for the purpose of carrying out a "military enterprise," which, however, was abandoned. The Government alleges its case is strengthened by the fact that all of the indicted men are on the rolls of the German imperial army.

Y. M. C. A. SUCCESS CONFERENCE

A "Success Conference" will be held at the Central Y. M. C. A., Grand and Franklin avenues, Friday and Saturday evenings and Sunday afternoon. Three vital problems of a young man's career his job, associations and ideals, will be considered. There will be addresses and open discussion.

All young men, whether members or not, are eligible to attend. There is no charge except for the supper served at each meeting. The subject at 5:30 p. m. Friday will be "The Young Man and His Job." The speakers will be E. S. Pillsbury and T. L. Mauldin. Saturday evening the subject will be "The Young Man and His Associations." The speaker will be Howard Colwell and Albert E. Buss. Sunday at 4:45 p. m. the subject will be "The Young Man and His Ideals." The speakers will be Carl H. Peterson, Branch Riekey and Hobart Brinmace.

Referendum in New South Wales.

SYDNEY, May 4.—The Ministry of New South Wales has decided to withdraw its resignation which has been presented to the labor party. An agreement has been reported whereby the question of abolition of the upper house of Parliament will be submitted to a referendum.

McAdoo at Hampton Roads.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 4.—The cruiser Tennessee, with Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo and party aboard, arrived in Hampton Roads shortly before 8 o'clock today. The Secretary attended the Pan-American Congress in Buenos Aires and visited other South American cities.

PROPOSAL TO NAME WOMAN FOR PRESIDENT IS OPPOSED

Illinois Suffragists and Head of National Association Say It Would Antagonize Friends.

CHICAGO, May 4.—Announcement has been made that the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage is contemplating the placing in the field this year of a woman candidate for President of the United States to be nominated at the women's party convention here, June 5, 6 and 7.

The Illinois Equal Suffrage Association, following the announcement yesterday, denounced the woman's party convention, and Miss Grace Wilbur Trout, ex-president of the association, at once mailed her resignation as a member of the congressional union.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The opposition of Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, leader of the National American Woman Suffrage Association to the formation of a woman's party was announced today in a statement by the headquarters of the association.

"The minute we make suffrage a party issue," said Dr. Shaw, "we lose our friends in the party that is to be 'disciplined.'"

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ROBBERS HOLD UP SALOON

After Getting Loot They Lock Three Men in Ice Box.

Two men held up the saloon at 4333 Gibson avenue last night. After taking \$27 from the cash register, a watch and \$3.50 from August Ahrens of 6700 Oakland avenue, and a watch and \$1.50 from Michael M. Kurt of 4870 Gibson avenue, they forced the manager, Walter Pohlman, and the two customers, into the icebox. Mrs. Helen Pohlman, wife of the manager, liberated the prisoners when she heard them pounding the sides of the refrigerator. She was in her rooms above the saloon.

Eight Words in Will.

CHICAGO, May 4.—Albert Miller, a clerk in a pawn shop, died Monday and his will, filed for probate yesterday, contained just eight words. He bequeathed his entire estate, including a \$1100 bank deposit, to the 5-year-old daughter of Mrs. Samuel Englander, his employer.

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Michigan Republicans for Hughes, Lansing, Mich., May 4.—Republican of Michigan, at a harmonious State convention here yesterday, endorsed Justice Charles E. Hughes for President, and selected four delegates at large to the national convention.

The delegation, as a result of the recent State primary, must cast its first ballot for Henry Ford.

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Contest.

Members of the Wednesday Club at a warmly contested election yesterday put through the entire ticket of the "outs," headed by Mrs. Halsey C. Ives. The victors, however, refused to be known as "outs," and insisted that they represented a "peace" ticket. The vote was 258 to 164. The total membership of the club is 560. Mrs. Philip N. Moore headed the defeated ticket.

Shortly before the vote was announced there was a lively scene in a business meeting which had been called to transact routine business and receive the vote. Mrs. W. W. Boyd, the retiring president, was ruled from the chair when she decided that Mrs. E. C. Rows, treasurer of the building company, was out of order as she attempted to read a report of the building company. Miss Antoinette Taylor took the chair and ruled that Mrs. Rows might read the report.

Officers Elected.
The other officers elected were: First vice president, Mrs. Harvey G. Mudd; second vice president, Mrs. George S. Mephum; recording secretary, Mrs. Harry E. Sprague; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Joseph W. Bray; treasurer, Mrs. R. D. Patterson; auditor, Mrs. Edwin de Wolf; directors—Mrs. H. L. Chase, Mrs. Oscar Herf, Mrs. Edgar R. Rombauer, Mrs. Henry S. Caulfield, Mrs. Wilfred Schade.

All Savings Deposits made on or before May 5 draw interest from May 1. St. Louis Union Bank, 4th and Locust.

SOCIETY

MR. AND MRS. M. J. EHRLEICH of the Washington Hotel will receive this evening from 8:30 to 11:30 at the Columbian Club in honor of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dorothea Gans, to Louis G. Rothschild, who was one of the interesting announcements of last week. Miss Gans is one of the belles of her set and her marriage in the autumn will be a notable one in fashionable Jewish circles.

The marriage of Miss Helen Bonsack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Bonsack, of 5551 Westminister place, to Duto Plumb, formerly of Detroit, Mich., now of New York, was solemnized yesterday afternoon in Grace Methodist Episcopal Church at 5 o'clock. The Rev. William Wirt King officiated.

The bride wore a gown of white satin with an over-drapery of tulle. The bridesmaid was Miss Dorothy Collins, Virginia Flad, Rebecca Johnson, Lucy Norvell, now of New York, and Miss Mildred Plumb, the bridegroom's sister, from Detroit. They were dressed alike in frocks of white net, the skirts ruffled to the waist, with bodices of turquoise blue silk that buttoned in the front. They wore large leghorn hats, with streamers of yellow ribbon, and were trimmed with rushings of the ribbon. Their bouquets were showers of Ellen Ward roses.

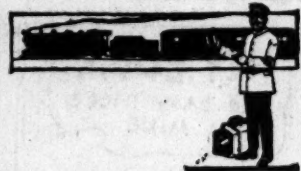
Frederick Colburn, the bridegroom's cousin, was his best man and the groomsmen were Messrs. R. Jewett Jones, Ernest A. Eddy, Kenneth G. Carpenter, Frederick C. Bonsack Jr. and Ralph T. Whitely. There was a large reception at the home of the bride after the ceremony and later Mr. Plumb and his bride departed for Bermuda to spend their honeymoon. They will reside in New York.

Mr. Plumb is the son of Mrs. Robert E. Plumb of Detroit. He is a graduate of Harvard in the class of '08 and spent several years here before going to New York last winter. Among the guests were Mrs. Plumb, Miss Ethel Plumb, the bridegroom's mother and sister, and Mrs. Frederick Colburn of Evanston, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Priest of 4330 Westminister place have returned from White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., where they have been for the last month. Mr. and Mrs. William R. Compton of 18 Kingsbury place and Mrs. Crittenden McKinley of 32 Vandeventer place are among the other St. Louisans there.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robyn have sent

out invitations to the wedding of their daughter, Miss Lucille Marie Robyn, to Edward Lee Tobin, which will take place on the morning of May 17 at 10:30 o'clock at St. Francis Xavier's Church.



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bridemaids will be Misses Irene and Gladys Donahue and Miss Virginia Lebeau of Pensacola, Fla. Frank Tobin, another brother of the bridegroom, will be best man.

Mrs. William C. Little, who has been in New York all winter, has returned for a short time and has taken possession of her apartment in the Lucerne, which has been occupied by Mr. and Mrs. James McCluney during her absence. Mrs. Little is on her way to California to spend several months.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCluney, who came here from Chicago last autumn to reside, have taken an apartment in the Westminister.

A children's shadow play and tableau will be given at St. George's Episcopal Chapel Friday evening at 8 o'clock and Saturday afternoon at 2.

The Magnolia Branch Chapter, No. 355, Order Eastern Star, will give a minstrel show and dance Saturday evening at Strassberger's Hall, Shennandoah and Grand avenues.

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Lead pencils are made of? Or billiard balls? Or coat buttons? Or paint? Or glass? Or asphalt paving?

Part Shakespeare acted in Hamlet? Or what Ibsen meant by his Ghosts? Was the "Story of the Diamond Necklace"?

Malthus (who was a clergyman) really taught; and what "Malthusianism" now teaches?

Novelists invented the name of "Nihilist"?

Machine was called the "lady's hobby horse"?

Mary, Queen of Scots was beheaded? Or women were first allowed to vote? Or a bear-keeper's daughter was a Roman empress?

Gunpowder was first used in a European battle? (It had been known to the Chinese for at least a thousand years before.)

Iron was first smelted by coal? (It was first done in England after iron smelting had been known for thousands of years.)

Liquid Fire and huge masses of burning material were first used in warfare? (Some new machines for hurling these were invented by Archimedes.)

North America was first sighted by European eyes? (It was more than a thousand years before the Cabots or Vespucci.)

Europe was all but overrun by the invading Saracens and nearly became a Mohammedan land?

Proof conclusive was first given that the earth is round? (It was more than 2,000 years before Columbus discovered America.)

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Where

Cocoanuts, cocoa-beans, kola nuts or bamboo poles grow most abundantly?

Caviare comes from? Or fur-bearing seals are found? Or where monkeys or kangaroos are most abundant?

Rainfall is the heaviest on the earth, or what is the longest river or the most densely populated nation?

Relics of prehistoric man have been chiefly discovered? (What are the oldest?)

The bones of the largest land animal that ever lived have been found?

Diamonds or pearls or rubies or tin or tungsten or platinum are found in the largest quantity?

Land reaches farthest south or farthest north, or rises to the greatest heights or sinks in the greatest depressions? (One place is the Sahara Desert.)

The sky is not ablaze with light at night with the radiance of billions of suns? (Do you know?)

The First National Census was taken? (It was in America and for a peculiar reason.)

The Human Race is believed to have existed on earth for, perhaps, a hundred thousand years or more? Coal in large quantities is found within the Arctic Circle, although the coal plants indicate a warm climate?

Storms can often be predicted several days in advance, and why an "easterly" storm really comes from the west?

A Swamp may sometimes be drained by blowing a single small hole almost anywhere in its depths? Glass Disks can be so shaped as to make telescopes and microscopes? (It is a very interesting study.)

Electricity cannot be transported long distances profitably, so that all the machinery in the world could be turned by waterfalls?

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BARRETT'S SERVING HIS NINTH YEAR AS BROWN SCOUT

Discoverer of Park, Fletcher, Tesreau, Killefer Never Served in Majors.

Although never a major league player himself, Charley Barrett, who yesterday signed his ninth annual contract to scout for the Browns, is rated as one of the keenest judges of young ball players, touring the "bushes" in search of talent for major league clubs. The closest Barrett, who is a St. Louis product, ever got to the big time was in 1902 when he was with Colorado Springs of the Western League.

In the eight campaigns he scouted for Hedges, Barrett sent up no fewer than 50 players, some of them now starting in the big ring. Truth to relate, though, only three of these are with the Browns and they're not so sure of being retained. They are Earl Hamilton, Tim McCabe and Jim Park, pitchers.

It was in 1904 with the Dallas club of the Texas league that Barrett played his last game as a professional.

After this he came back to St. Louis and became identified with the local semi-pros. In 1907 and 1908 he managed the Orphan Boys and 'tis said that he is the only Irishman who ever made good on the South Side. He signed with Hedges in 1908.

Discovered Jeff Tesreau.

In June of that year he made his first tour of the "sticks" in search of talent. He got as far as Perryville, Mo., and saw Jeff Tesreau pitch a game for that club. Impressed with his work, he sent him to the Texas League. Tesreau is now one of the stars of the Giants. Barrett also gave Artie Fletcher his start in the Lone Star State circuit. Barrett used the first season he was out on the road to get acquainted. In 1909 he got busy with the Browns and to the local club, Jack O'Connor, boss of the club in 1910, thought Killefer too small and sent him back to the Texas League. The same year he had everything arranged with Freeport, Ill., for the purchase of Fred Luderus, but did not get into touch with Hedges. Both of them are now with the Phillies.

His next year he sent Earl Hamilton to the Browns, snatching him from the Joplin (Western Association) club. Hamilton was thought so little of that he was not taken South, but when the final reckoning was made he was the only hurler out of a dozen youngsters to stick. George Foster, now with the Red Sox, Pete Compton, Braves, and Jimmy Brief, who was up several times, were some of his other pickups. Here are a few he sent up, who are still in the majors:

Signed McCabe and Park.

Tim McCabe of Farmington, Mo., sent to Three-Eye and now with Browns. Picked up Jim Park at Lexington, Ky., last year. Earl Hamilton snared from Joplin (Western Association) in 1909. All these players are with the Browns. In 1909 sent up Bill Killefer.

In 1911 sent up George Foster. Wallace sent him back. Foster last year won world's championship for Red Sox. Signed Pete Compton at Battle Creek. He's now with the Braves.

Gave Tesreau and Fletcher, now with Giants, their start by sending them to Texas League. "All the other fellows laughed at me when I first went out, figuring that a man who had no major league experience had little chance to make good," said Barrett this morning. "But I stuck to it and showed them the stuff."

The local product, who during his day was an outfielder, has had offers from the New York Giants, Cleveland club and White Sox during his term with the Browns.

And he's one scout who never saw the big tent who has made good with a vengeance.

Alex Has Given Braves 2 Counts in Three Games

Phillies' Star Yesterday Shut Out Stallings' Men, 3-0, for Third Victory.

When Grover Cleveland Alexander, the star right-hander of the Phillies, tamed the Braves yesterday, 3-0, it was the third time this season that Alex downed Stallings' aggregation. In the 27 innings he has hurled against the Hubtown entry Alex has allowed just two runs and 19 hits. Two of his victories over Stallings' men were via the shutout route.

To date Alexander has won just half of the games credited to Moran's outfit. His record for the season being 4-1. The only team to defeat him was Brooklyn. Robinson's men chased him in seven rounds on April 26. His record:

Date	Opponent	W.	L.	In.
April 12	New York	1	0	9
April 18	Boston	1	0	9
April 28	Brooklyn	0	1	10
April 29	Boston	1	0	9
May 4	Boston	1	0	9
Totals		4	1	43

Grabbing two of five at bats off the Superba fingers yesterday, but Benny Kauff back into the select team, the former Federal League star is still trailing Cobb in the race for the batting championship by 37 points. The figures:

Cobb	Kauff
40	3
17	13
8	2
3	310

A home run by Larry Lajoie, the veteran second-sacker, in the eighth inning with Oldring on first base yesterday gave the Athletics a 2-1 victory over the Yankees. Joe Bush, who beat the record of Donovan the day before, was called to the rescue when Sabers faltered in the ninth. Bush fanned Lunsamaker and Caldwell and picked "Pip" off third base. Frank Baker grabbed two hits out of four trips to the plate.

Another new leader in the National League pennant race is this morning's Superba downed the Giants 6-4, in 10 frames yesterday at the Polo Ground place. A double by Cuthbert drove over the winning marker. McGraw lined up four pitchers in an effort to stop the Superba. They were Benton, Stroud, Faino and Schauer.

Lefty Russell, who proved a lemon some years ago, and was the only high-priced player ever purchased by Connie Mack, is back with the Baltimore International as a first-sacker. Dunn purchased him from Syracuse.

Vahrenhorst Is Winner.

Vahrenhorst yesterday afternoon defeated Emil Hiller, 2-1, and won the championship in the elimination bowling tournament at the Congress. Vahrenhorst totaled 710 for the four games, while Hiller counted 700. Hiller defeated Schaefer, last year's winner, three straight to get into the final.

Opening Show Postponed.

OSTKOST, Wis., May 4.—The first boxing show of the reorganized Oshkosh Athletic Club, scheduled for Friday night, has been postponed. As Matty McCue and Freddy Andrews programmed for the main bout, have been at odds on the night from the start, the show was cancelled rather than introduce substitutes.



The Old Guard.

I REMEMBER, I remember. In fourteen-ninety-two Hans Wagner was the lead-off man for Chris. Columbus' crew. He had the same unerring eye. The hall he'd never miss. Old Hans is still a shifty guy. But what's become of Chris?

I remember, I remember. It now seems like a dream: Old Hans was playing second base on Rip Van Winkle's team. Though many years have passed away he still retains his grip. I saw old Hans the other day. But what's become of Rip?

I remember, I remember. When Shakespeare played the game: He played upon the Stratford team. And gained undying fame. For Horus was a catcher when Bill Shakespeare hurled the pill: I see old Horus now and then. But what's become of Bill?

A Leak Somewhere.

Robison Field has a new raincoat. But it didn't protect Meadows from a shower of base hits.

Phil Ball came out to see how a home team looked winning a ball game. He was doomed to disappointment.

Hal Chase is a pretty fair sort of a first baseman. He was weakened by the Browns any.

Not that the Browns need weakening. Far be it.

A Regular Guy.

Neale, Cincinnati's recruit outfielder, made an auspicious start with a double and a single his first two times up. Then, to show his versatility and to prove that he is a regular ballplayer, he struck out twice.

Marine Notes.

When Les Meadows hung out the signal of distress "Steamboat" Williams came and showed out to his rescue. "Steamboat," however, soon ran aground and the tug "Miller Huggins" yanked him off the sandbar and towed him to the dry dock.

"Steamboat" wasn't steaming very well yesterday.

Hal Chase greeted Slim Sal like a long lost brother in the ninth. Hal slammed the first ball sal pitched to left field for a two-bagger.

Hot Stuff.

Buck Herzog was so busy shaking the pepper box in the ninth, that he pulled a Jimmy Austin on Gonzales' grounder, allowing a run to trickle in.

Buck soaked himself five bucks for making the bobble, but admitted the sin after he had cooled off.

The Browns didn't play in Terre Haute yesterday on account of bad weather or something. Tough luck.

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Hal Chase Is Hitting .453; Leads League in Stealing Bases

HAL CHASE is one reason why the Cincinnati club is seriously considered a first division factor in the National League race. Including his pair of hits yesterday, the temperamental one has an average of .453 for the season, representing 24 hits in 53 times at bat. Besides that he is leading the National League in base running, having pilfered seven sacks so far this season. He has made six two-base hits, including the two-ply knock yesterday off Salles.

We had a hunch our boys would have trimmed those birds.

Frank Snyder got as far as third on an eight-base hit yesterday.

This ought to be a good year for Meadows. Lots of rain.

Not So.

Earl Hamilton has traded his automobile for a house and lot in Kansas. Earl gentles the base insurance of a jealous teammate that it was a dog house and a lot of pups.

It is said that the Tigers have a new way to block base stealers. Both Young and Bush cover the bag and while one is taking the ball the other is getting in the way of the base runner as neatly as possible without attracting the attention of the ump. We can see where somebody is in for a good bumping.

Ata Boy, Bob!

Bob Emalle is in midseason form. Bob missed a play at first on Gonzales yesterday so far that it was really laughable. But somehow or other nobody laughed. Bob has the stuff, all right, but he doesn't seem to get it over.

Guess the fans of St. Louis can't appreciate a good joke.

Bill Klem was on hand looking as happy as a guy who has his wages paid up three weeks ahead. Cheer up, Bill! It may not be true.

George McConnell thinks it is bad luck to pitch a no-hit game. So it is, for the other club.

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Snyder Runs Into Block Signal and Is Held Up at Third With Tying Run

BLOCK signals weren't working exactly right at Robison Field yesterday and the Cardinals were wrecked by the Reds, 6-5, in a head-on collision. In the eighth inning with two on and two out, the score 6-3 against the Cardinals, Snyder, pinching for Jasper, jabbed a home run to right center, but ran into a red light at third and stopped there with the tying run. He persisted when Heschler failed to hit and the Cardinals were beaten.

Grand-stand managers thought it was bad baseball not to take a gambler's chance with Snyder's tying run in this frame. The Cards had everything to gain and hardly anything to lose. As things turned out, Snyder could have scored standing up because of Louder's fumble of Heschler's bat, but Snyder had thrown to the plate. Butler, who was coaching at third, played it safe, entirely too much.

It was a much more interesting game than the home fans have witnessed for a week or ten days. The Cardinals showed more pep, more genuine enthusiasm, than the Browns have been exhibiting, and the fans, too, warmed to the job.

Yesterday's Fight Results

Cleveland.—Matt Brock defeated Kid Julian, 10 rounds.

New Bedford, Mass.—Al Shubert defeated Kid Wagner, 10 rounds.

Pottsville, Pa.—Young McDonald knocked out Kid Shien, two rounds. Jack McDonald knocked out Kid Brear, three rounds.

Young Weighman defeated Battling Mills, 10 rounds.

Harrisburg, Pa.—Freddie Welsh's hand cannot be very badly broken. He fought Frankie Maguire, a Williamsport lightweight, a six-round draw. Johnny Gill bested Jimmy Conway six rounds.

Philadelphia.—Sallor Jack Carroll beat Secaw Kelly, six rounds. Kid Gross bested Charlie Russell, three rounds (amateur bout). Kid Johns beat Frankie Bradley, three rounds. Johnny Earl stopped Eddie Dundee, one round.

Windsor, Ont.—Ad Volcast stopped Willie Gradwell six rounds.

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LORIMER FREED, SAYS HE WILL PAY BANK DEPOSITORS

Chicagoan Acquitted of Conspiracy to Defraud—One Indictment Is Pending.

CHICAGO, May 4.—William Lorimer, former United States Senator from Illinois, who was acquitted by a jury here last night of charges of embezzlement and conspiracy to defraud in connection with the failure of the La Salle Street Trust and Savings Bank, of which he was president, began a new life today, he said, the dominant purpose of which is to earn enough money to reimburse the persons who lost their savings through the failure of the bank of which he was president.

"The poorest will be paid back first," Mr. Lorimer said, "and I will devote all my income, excepting what is necessary for my family, to this restitution fund."

A Federal indictment charging misapplication of funds on 36 counts still is pending against Lorimer, but United States District Attorney Chase said that he would take no action in this matter until next fall.

RESOLUTION IN REICHSTAG FOR DR. LIEBKNECHT'S RELEASE

Introduced by Socialist, and Requests Suspension of Proceedings Against Peace Agitator Until Adjournment. BERLIN, via London, May 4.—T. Berlin Socialist introduced a resolution in the Reichstag yesterday requesting Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg to release Dr. Karl Liebknecht, Socialist leader, from arrest, and to suspend proceedings against him until after the adjournment of the Reichstag.

LONDON, May 4.—The arrest of Dr. Liebknecht, in connection with a May day demonstration in Berlin, caused great excitement among the workers there and led to a fresh demonstration which was suppressed by a large body of police, according to reports from Berlin forwarded from Copenhagen by the Exchange Telegraph Co. The dispatch adds that it is believed that the German Government will be compelled to release Dr. Liebknecht in order to prevent a revolution. It is stated that he was arrested while addressing a peace demonstration and that it was a violation of the military regulations for him to wear the civilian clothes in which he was arrested as he is a soldier.

SURGEONS SAY GERMANS DO NOT WANT AMERICANS IN BULGARIA

One Predicts Uprisings or Assassinations in the Country Within a Few Months.

THE HAGUE, May 4.—Dr. Charles Pancoast of Philadelphia, and Dr. Morawitz of New York, have reached The Hague after having been engaged for 15 months in surgical work in the Hungarian and Austrian armies. They say a spy craze is rampant in Bulgaria, and that it is evident the Germans do not want Americans there.

How thoroughly Bulgaria is under German domination it was declared, is shown by the fact that the country virtually has been denuded of foodstuffs by the Germans. There is a general feeling of unrest and Dr. Pancoast prophesies that popular uprisings or assassinations may be expected within a few months.

Dr. Pancoast says he saw 800 British and French prisoners in rags marching the streets of Sofia with the people jeering them. They had been robbed of their clothing and shoes on the battlefield, he added.

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BRITAIN EXPECTED TO FREE PASSENGERS TAKEN FROM SHIP

LONDON, May 4.—Belief is expressed in neutral diplomatic circles that the British Foreign Office not only will order the release of the Austrians and Germans, seized on board the American ship China, Feb. 15, but also will disavow the actions of the captain of the auxiliary cruiser Laurentic in making the seizure.

It is known the attention of the British authorities has been called to the fact that those arrested, although en route to Manila, could not have reached that port on board the China, but would have been compelled to have transhipped at Nagasaki, where they would have been in jurisdiction of Japan and that therefore seizure not only was unjustifiable but unnecessary. The United States Government takes the attitude that the seizure was an exact parallel to the case of the Trent.

K. of C. Choral Club, Odessa, Tonight.

ENLIGHT "GAS" SOLD TO MAXIM

NEW YORK, May 4.—Louis Enright's substitute for gasoline, costing a cent and a half a gallon, was bought yesterday by the Maxim Munitions Corporation of 120 Broadway.

While neither the Farmingdale (L. I.) inventor nor the officials of the corporation would tell what price was paid for the green fluid, that turns water into engine fuel, it was reported that Enright received \$10,000 in cash and 100,000 shares of stock in the Maxim Munitions Corporation. This stock was quoted at 10 1/2 a share yesterday.

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RANCHER WHO ACTED AS SCOUT FOR U. S. SOLDIERS MURDERED

Man's Body, With That of His Foreman, Found After Villistas Had Been Scattered. EL PASO, May 4.—P. H. Holly, a rancher, 15 miles northeast of El Ruelo, near San Antonio, was murdered with his Mexican foreman on the night of April 29 because he had acted as a scout for American troops who went to the Holly ranch to rid it of Villa bands. This is the information contained in a dispatch from Gen. Pershing to Gen.

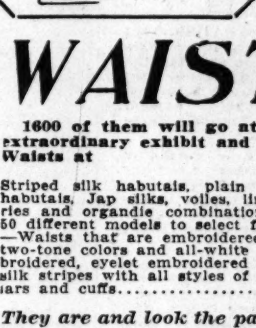
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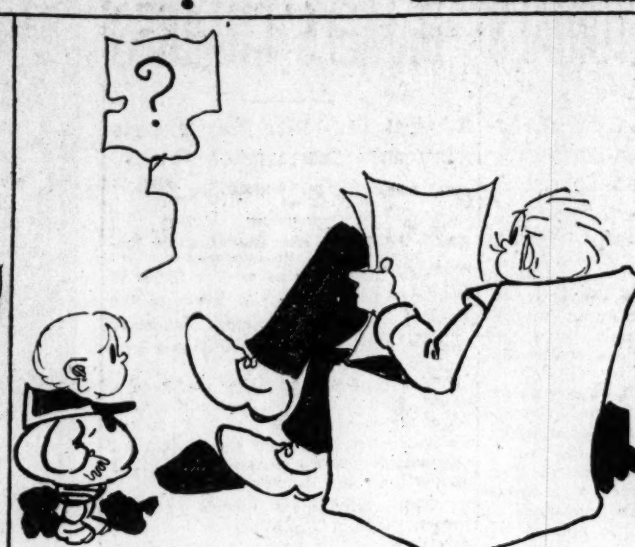
The Jarr Family

Written for the Post-Dispatch
By Roy L. McCordell

Mr. Jarr, Mrs. Jarr and the Two Little Jarrs Take in the Wonders of the Circus.

"SUPPOSE we got to take them," grumbled Mr. Jarr.
"Certainly we've got to take them," said Mrs. Jarr. "There isn't a child in this neighborhood but what has been taken to the circus, or is going to be taken, and I'm sure I don't want my children to feel that they are beggars and can't go to see things that other children see!"
"Gee whiz! Is that all you think of?" asked Mr. Jarr. "What other people think? What other people say? What other people do? It makes me tired!"
"It should," said Mrs. Jarr, with some asperity. "Other people think I'm a patient woman to put up with you the way I do. Other people say, 'Well, it's a pity that man can't have a little respect for his wife and family,' and other people do differently from what you do!"
"Please, don't talk about me," said Mr. Jarr, "talk about the children. I want to take them to the circus because I think they'll enjoy it. I used to when I was a boy. But circuses aren't what they used to be."
"Why aren't they?" asked Mrs. Jarr.
"What's the difference between them now and the grand old days when you were a boy?"
"Are the children ready?" asked Mr. Jarr, hastily changing the subject.
"They've been ready for so long that I'll have to change little Emma's dress again and put a clean collar on Willie," said Mrs. Jarr.
"I want peanuts for the elephants," said Willie Jarr. "I'm going right up to the elephants and stick the peanuts up their snouts."
"Say 'trunks,' Willie," admonished Mrs. Jarr. "You must stop going with that awful Rangle boy; he teaches you the most dreadful expressions!"
"And I'll jump right up on the elephant's back," bragged the boy to his little sister, "and you'll come near his sick him on you."
At the dire threat of being harassed by the gigantic pachyderm at the instigation of her brother, the girl emitted a dreadful wail, and Mrs. Jarr stopped and threatened to return home forthwith unless Willie stopped teasing his sister and his sister ceased her crying.
But, later, led where the elephants towered impressively in a close chained herd, the boy's fortune deserted him, and he dropped his bag of peanuts and fled. In their seats near the arena Willie's self-possession returned and, noting the paraphernalia of the strong man, he made a dart for it and essayed to lift the 30-pound dumbbells. At this instant the grand cavalcade that opened the performance swept down upon them, and the hysterical mother saw herself parted from her boy, while between them swept men on foot, men on horseback, camels, elephants and the rest of the wonderful cortege.
As the grand entree ended Willie strutted back, a hero in his own eyes, for a clown at the end of the procession had hit him with a slapstick.
Then the wonder of the circus were spread before them, and all the way home Mr. Jarr bored the children to death by telling them of the old Roman circuses, the sagacity of the elephants and the general ferocity of wild beasts in their native lairs.
Not one word did Willie Jarr hear or remember. He was plotting to take his slingshot and run away with the circus, for, as he told Johnny Rangle, the funniest clown winked at him, and that meant "Join us; we want brave lads like you!"

S'MATTER POP?



Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
By C. M. PAYNE.

How to Make a Hit

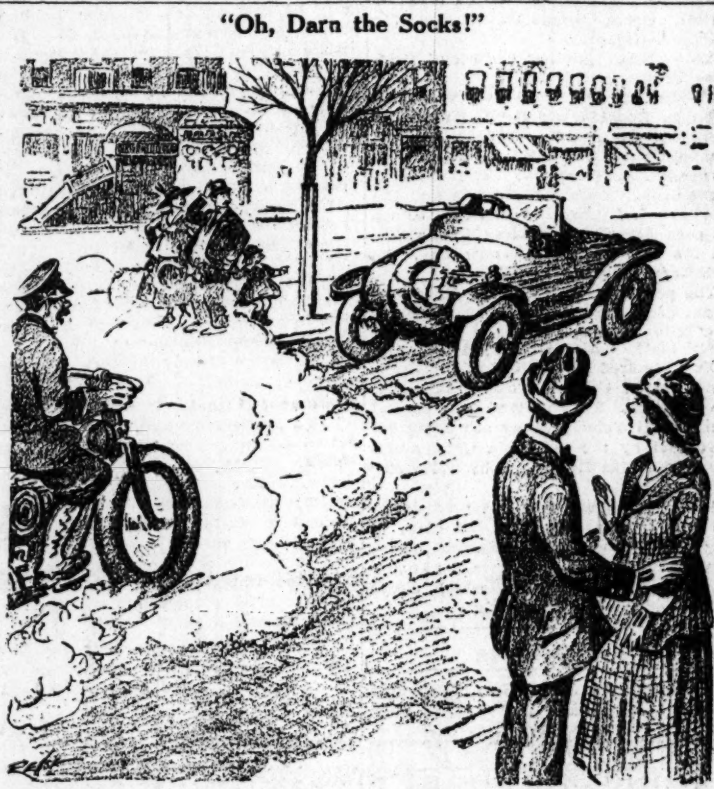
A Handy Manual for Rude Persons.

By Alma Woodward.

With the Doctor.

Scene: The Browns' apartment at 6:30 p. m.
(Mr. Brown comes home from business. Mrs. Brown greets him indifferently. She is quite perturbed about something.)
R. B. (right off the reel): I'm not late, am I? I didn't stop at a single place. Billy Green wanted to shoot me a game of pool, but I refused. And Pete Smithers just pestered the life out of me to go in and have a New Orleans fix, but I said him nay.
(Mr. Brown looks up triumphantly, expecting vociferous approbation. Mrs. Brown walks off without answering.)
Mr. B. (peevish): Did you hear what I said?
Mrs. B. (suddenly): Oh, Freddie, I'm so worried about baby. He hasn't smiled once today!
Mr. B. (philosophically): Well, there are lots of days that I don't smile. Muddy be he feels blue.
Mrs. B. (anxiously): Why should a baby feel blue, unless there is something terrible the matter with him? I think I'll send for the doctor.
Mr. B. (calmly): If you feel worried, why don't you?
Mrs. B. (taking down receiver) 23 Main, please. Oh, hello, is this you, doctor? I'm so worried about the baby, doctor. He hasn't smiled once today. (Pause) No, he hasn't cried and he has eaten well enough. (Pause) Yes, I know, but, doctor, you know what a happy, frolicsome baby he is usually—and not one smile in 10 hours! I'm afraid it's the beginning of something. And I wish you'd come over right away. It's your dinner hour? Later?
(Mrs. Brown slams up receiver.)
Mrs. B. (defiantly): Well, the ideal! He'll come over after dinner, because he doesn't think it's serious. I think when a man's a doctor he ought to sacrifice himself for his patients. And if he doesn't want to do that, he shouldn't be a doctor in the first place. Don't you think so, Freddie?
Mr. B. (leniently): Oh, it'd be different if baby had diphtheria or something.
Mrs. B. (excitedly): How does he know it isn't diphtheria? He hasn't seen him since yesterday. I want you to look at him, Freddie.

Mr. B. (bending over baby's crib): Well, well, you little rascal, Muddy says you won't smile at her—laugh for your Dad, Snoops; go on, laugh at him.
Mrs. B. (fearfully): See, he won't even laugh at you? Take out your watch, Freddie, and if he doesn't laugh then, that is the supreme test.
(Mr. Brown dangles his engine-turned-guaranteed-for-20-years before baby's eyes. No smile is forthcoming. Mrs. Brown rushes to phone.)
Mrs. B. (impatiently): There is something very wrong with baby, doctor—he won't even laugh at Mr. Brown's watch, which had never failed before. If you don't care to come right over, I'm afraid I shall have to call another physician—oh, oh, you'll be here in 15 minutes? Very well.
(In 15 minutes the bell rings. Both Mr. and Mrs. Brown open the door. The doctor stalks past them, without greeting, straight to the baby's room.)
Doctor (throwing baby up in air): Well, old man, what ails your laughing apparatus today, eh? Give us a grin! (Immediately there is a sunburst of smiles and an avalanche of chuckles.)
Mrs. B. (solemnly): Frederick, we have a great problem before us! We have a temperamental child to bring up. A creature of moods. Oh, dear! And I had hoped that he would be just simple and wholesome. (Shuddering.) Frederick, I am afraid he will be an actor! Doctor (sotto): What a sweet potato pudding won't it be to eat when I get back!



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ONE of these women is your wife. Some never clean house. Some clean house every spring whether the house needs it or not, and some clean house twice a day.

Solved.
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Friday, May 5, at Wolff - Wilson's, 6th & Washington

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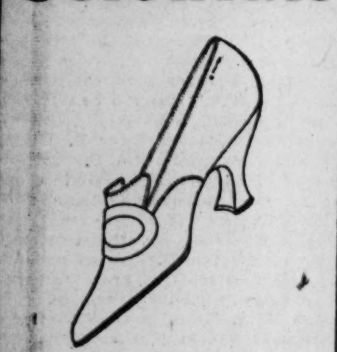
OUR MAY CALENDAR MONTHLY SALE

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In Right Place.

I HAVE written a poem on—"The editor looked up wearily. The blue-eyed blonde young woman was merciless."
"I have written a poem on 'The Old Red Barn on the Farm,' and—" The weary look disappeared from the editor's face.
"Ah! Delighted! Written on the old red barn, eh? Fine! I'll be going along by the farm in a day or so, and I'll stop at the old red barn and read it!"

A Damaged Flock.

BOBBIE had never seen a live sheep, but one of his most treasured toys was a little woolly lamb on wheels, which he drew all about the house and yard. Last summer he went to visit his uncle, who owns a sheep ranch in the West. When Bobbie said a flock he exclaimed:
"You must have got them cheap, uncle, 'cause they've all lost their wheels!"

Just as Good.

MRS. WILLIS: So you aren't afraid of burglars? No doubt your husband has a revolver.
Mrs. Willis: Yes, but I am so afraid of firearms that I have hidden it.
Mrs. Willis: Then what protection would you have in case of a robbery?
Mrs. Willis: My dear, the way that man will roar at me when he can't find that gun will scare any burglar out of his wits!

Making the Best of It

EX-CONGRESSMAN Flinndub wants a little write-up," remarked the magazine publisher. "What shall we say about him?"
"What did he ever do?"
"Nothing."
"Say he upheld the best traditions of Congress!"

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